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Co-ed Team Launches New Era

Rochester Memorial Day Boat Race

By Mick Colageo

Bill and Alyssa Watling could be forming a new dynasty in the Rochester Memorial Day Boat Race after winning the event for the second straight year. On May 31, the Rochester couple set the co-ed course record with a time of 1 hour, 54 minutes and 22 seconds, eclipsing the 1:59.01 set in 2013 by another Rochester couple, Andrea and Sean Shaw.

The race dates back to 1934 and was only canceled from 1942 to 1946 by World War II.

"In marriage, we're pretty much 50-50 making decisions, and in the boat race I actually let him make the decisions. I actually do everything he tells me to," said Alyssa. "We're a good team at home, too."

Teamwork was key to the couple's solving an experience gap the size of the Mattapoissett River itself, especially on a day like Monday when the currents were bullying the racers, capsizing their vessels and causing stress. Even on a calm day, turns can easily be missed, setting the blame game in motion for many competitors.

"A lot of teams went swimming this year, including us. At the end of the race, a lot of the teams were very wet," said Alyssa, whose two-year learning curve has been accelerated by having Bill as mentor. She says her husband plots five turns ahead throughout the course. "He can tell you the next 10 if you ask."

A tree that had apparently fallen overnight added a mandatory portage. "A lot of times you can sneak around them, but this one you had to get out (of the boat)," said Bill, officially known as mechanical engineer William Watling III.

Further complicating the task, the water in the New Bedford Road culvert was too high, resulting in another uncharted mandatory portage, along with the usual stops at Rounseville and Wolf Island Roads.

The racers plot the course and have a plan in place for a 20-second pit stop. They know which side of

the boat they will get out, how they will drain the vessel of water, and carry it around the culvert or a downed tree to end the get back in the water as soon as possible.

Because of staggered start times to accommodate the boat traffic, estimating a lead in the race is complicated. Monday's margin of victory was 2:21 over Eli MacGregor (Rochester) and Ian MacGregor (Mattapoissett). The Watlings won last year's half-length race by 12 seconds. "We had a pretty good idea. We had friends following us down," said Bill.

"You can't predict anything. Until the race is completely done, you can't predict what's going to happen," said Alyssa. "And if you practice the course a few weeks prior, the water level's totally different."

This year's comeback to the full course was met with a relatively light turnout as 34 boats registered, a couple of them dropped out, and 27 finished the race. In 2020, 41 out of 44 entered boats completed the race.

The Watlings won last year's half-course race, and this year's victory is the first time a woman has ever been

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On the Cover: Bill and Alyssa Watling of Rochester share a kiss while winning the Memorial Day Boat Race held May 31. The Watlings set the co-ed course record, and Alyssa became the first woman to have a part in the Open Division championship. Photo by Ryan Feeney (See the race results on page 21)

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"This is the fourth year we've used this boat, so the design has set three records," said Bill, alluding to his course-record of 1:46:59 set in 2013 with former regular racing partner Dan Lawrence. Together, Watling and Lawrence won six out of seven years.

Lawrence teamed up this year with Andy Weigel, taking third place overall in 1:57:22, and were one of three teams to complete the course in under two hours (see results).

The event has been a nice distraction for Alyssa, who works in the medical field, which has obviously been extra stressed the past 15 months by the coronavirus pandemic.

"Usually I'm the one yelling at the boats," she said, alluding to last year's change of scenery as in being a competitor rather than a spectator. "Every family at every stop is yelling for whatever boat they see, it's super fun."

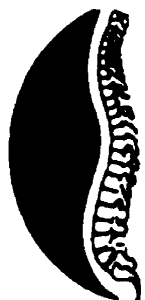
Alyssa also coaches the Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School girls volleyball team and believes the busiest of people need such outlets to move the body and do something different to manage stress. "If you want to go out there and give it your all ... go for it, see what happens," she said, encouraging anyone who is giving the race future consideration.

The Memorial Day Boat Race does not charge an entry fee, but the Rochester Fire Department, which sponsors the race, holds a ham-and-bean supper to defray costs. Starting in April, volunteers help clean up the Mattapoisett River to make sure the river is passable so herring can migrate on their annual run.

As a member of the race committee, Bill has participated regularly on weekends as up to 10 men in four to five canoes clean up one section of the river at a time. The effort took 110 trees a few years ago.

"The main thing is having fun," he said.

Henri and Jonathan Roy of Rochester won the Parent/Child Division in 2:16:24, and Chelsea Allen (Spencer) and Megan Smith (New Bedford) won the Women's Division in 2:21:47.



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An All-Ages Memorial in Marion

By Mick Colageo

Several generations participated in Marion's Memorial Day ceremonies on May 31 at Old Landing, where those who gave the ultimate sacrifice were honored by young and old.

Major Andrew Bonney of the United States Air Force acted as master of ceremonies and chaired Marion's Memorial Day Committee including Jody Dickerson, Donna Hemphill, and Hannah Moore, who also directed the Sippican Elementary School Marching Band, and the size of the community gathering far outshined Monday morning's gloomy weather.

Select Board Chairman Norman Hills addressed the attendees on behalf of the board and together with fellow board member Randy Parker laid a wreath at the memorial.

As keynote speaker, Acushnet resident Dr. Steven L. Pierce told of a most personal Memorial Day experience, only a small child standing by his mother's side when the fateful knock came to the family's

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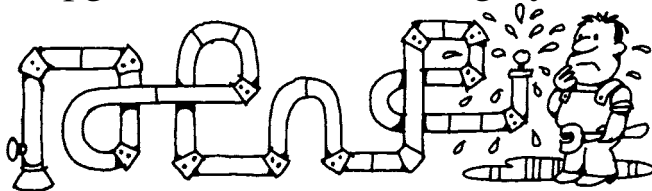
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front door with the devastating news that his father's helicopter was shot down in Vietnam.

What Pierce did with his life as a result of that event came into sharper focus, his career outline having been read as an introduction to his words.

Currently assistant to the Dean for Technology and Innovation in the College of Distance Education at the U.S. Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island, Pierce has been on the Naval War College faculty since retiring from active duty in the U.S. Navy in 2006. Pierce enlisted in the Navy in 1982 and performed duties as an avionics technician and naval aircrewman, specializing in airborne reconnaissance and signals intelligence collection. He holds a doctorate in management from Colorado Technical University and two master's degrees.

The participation that led up to Pierce's discussion about Memorial Day included music from the Portuguese American Band and the Sippican Elementary School Band.

Old Rochester Regional High School junior Breigh Christopher, 17, of Marion sang "God Bless America," and student speakers included ORR junior Edward Gonet IV of Fairhaven reading "The Gettysburg Address" by Abraham Lincoln, ORR freshman Molly Dupre of Mattapoisett reading a Memorial Day Proclamation from Massachusetts Governor Charlie Baker, and Tabor Academy junior Catherine Terelak of Gloucester reciting "In Flanders Fields" by John McCrae.

"The Pledge of Allegiance" was led by the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, and Brownies of Marion.

Bonney conducted the tolling of the bell after reading the list of Marion veterans who died since the last Memorial Day: John H. McCain II; Robert J. Zora; Joseph E. Singleton; Roger H. Hatch; Edward Maguire; Stephen J. Moran; John V. Spivey; Albert R. Hunt; Alan D. Wehr; Francis W. Bessey; James Goddu; Arthur Seifert; Theodore E. Kirchner; Theodore Mach, Jr.; Cornelius H. Cooper; William A. Sobieraj; Roland Leo Dastous; Michael Reed; Joseph S. Gumlak; and Robert Ellis.

The Portuguese American Band, led by Dan Ferreira, played "God Bless the U.S.A." by Lee Greenwood, "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "Taps,"

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Mattapoisett Commemorates Veterans

By Marilou Newell

The overcast skies of Memorial Day, Monday 31, 2021 seemed to add to the solemnity of the observances that took place in front of war memorials located on Mattapoisett's Library grounds.

The Florence Eastman Post 280 of the American Legion held what their commander, Rachel Perron, called an "impromptu" gathering to acknowledge and commemorate fallen military personnel from the Civil War to modern day military engagements.

Barry Denham, a decades-long member of the post and retiring veterans' agent, said that Memorial Day is a solemn occasion, one that should not include wishing one another a "Happy Memorial Day." It is a day to remember those who did not return from military service first and foremost, as well as remembering all veterans, he stated.

Legion Chaplin Richard Langhoff's prayer noted the community's "heritage of pride" since the Civil War for its fallen service personnel.

Legionnaire George Randall once again held the assembled at rapt attention as he recited the Gettysburg



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While the moment of reflection was primarily to honor service men and women from the community, the town also took the opportunity to thank Denham for his many years of faithful service to his country and his hometown, as the former veteran's agent, selectman, and highway surveyor.

Select Board member Jordan Collyer presented Denham with a citation from Massachusetts Senator Mark Montigny's office for his many of years of service in his role as veterans' agent. Collyer said that Denham had set a standard for the positions of agent and highway surveyor and "took them up notches." He noted that Denham will continue to play an integral role in the community, sharing his depth of "institutional knowledge." Denham was presented with a citation from the House of Representatives by Representative William Straus.



Town Administrator Mike Lorencio also spoke to Denham's commitment to Mattapoisett "his entire life," and thanked him for his willingness to continue to contribute moving forward.

Denham quipped to the crowd, "If you like what you do, you never work a day in your life – I have never worked."

Perron gave a brief but interesting history of Memorial Day that included such facts as women being responsible for the initiation of Memorial Day observation in the late 1800s and that early observations were also

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Of the Legion's namesake Florence Eastman, Perron said she was the only person from Mattapoisett to enlist in the World War. She subsequently died from the Spanish Flu, a pandemic which consumed many in the military during that war.

Perron recited a poem written to commemorate those who perished at Flanders Field during WWI. The poem was the inspiration for the tradition of red poppies to honor the fallen she said. The poem reads in part, "... And now the torch and poppy red, we wear in honor of our dead, fear not that ye have died for naught, we'll teach the lesson that ye wrought, in Flanders Fields."

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were laid at the war moments that grace the library's grounds. Then the Legion members walked to Shipyard Park where flowers were tossed into the harbor to remember sailors who had given all for their country.

Hughes Still Has Appetite for Challenge

Rochester Town Election

By Mick Colageo

At age 80, David Hughes is preoccupied with the future, and that perhaps more than anything is what got him elected on May 26 to the Rochester Water Commission.

"We need some protection," said Hughes, the lone candidate lingering about the Senior Center parking lot off Dexter Lane after sunset and after Town Clerk Paul Dawson had announced preliminary results.

Hughes found out from a reporter that he won his bid for Mike Conway's vacated seat on the commission. Running against Selectman Brad Morse, Hughes campaigned on a "one-vote" platform that apparently resonated in the politically conservative community that favors minimal government power and voted him in by a whopping 232-98 margin with 17 ballots left blank.

The election tallies are official, according to Dawson. The total voter turnout of 347 was lower than what Marion and Mattapoisett experienced the week before.

Prior to this election, Hughes has maintained involvement in Rochester, serving as the chairman of the Park Commission, which manages recreation in the town. He is also an elected constable and is vice chairman of the Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical District School Committee.

A former selectman himself, Hughes has an abiding presence, having been in Rochester almost 60 years including over 40 years in town politics. He was the Board of Selectmen's designee to the Mattapoisett River Valley Water District Commission and MRV Water Protection Advisory Committee.

"I'm up to speed on who's got wells in our town, where our water's going," he said. "I think at this point I have to sit back and just see what's been going on. I know

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Rochester already produces an extraordinary amount of water, its largest consumer being the City of New Bedford via its Water Works Pump Station and Quittacas Water Treatment Plant at the south end of Little Quittacas Pond. Connected under Route 105, Great Quittacas and Little Quittacas ponds are partially inside Lakeville and Middleboro but also partially inside Rochester, including the location of the New Bedford plant and pumping station. Marion and Mattapoissett have wells in Rochester, which also sends water to Fairhaven.

The three-member Water Commission meets once per month. Hughes said that Water Commission Chairman Fred Underhill asked him to run after Conway decided not to seek another term. Underhill's term expires in 2023, and member Rick Charon's term expires in 2022.

"These are dedicated people, they care about the town and its people," said Hughes, directing his comments beyond the Water Commission to all of Rochester's boards and committees. "They care about the growth of it and everything else, that's the only reason I do it. I have a good time doing it. I've been doing it a long time. I ain't giving up yet."

Rochester had two other contested races.

Sarah Tisdale Eby (183 votes) unseated Dale Barrows (154) on the Board of Health (10 blank ballots), and Marc Rousseau, Jr. (172) edged Dennis McCarthy (162) for one of two vacancies on the Planning Board, the other open seat retained by incumbent Lee Carr (204). David Arancio received two write-in votes, and 154 ballots were left blank.

Arancio, who chairs the Zoning Board of Appeals and the capital planning arm of the Finance Committee on which he sits, was the write-in winner with 28 votes for Moderator, an office vacated by Kirby Gilmore after his final town meeting last week. Arancio, who did not respond to *The Wanderer* in time for press to confirm acceptance of his election, received half of



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the write-in votes that were otherwise divided between 12 other names, the most of which was five for William Chamberlain.

A vacant Cemetery Commission seat went to write-in winner Molly Ross, whose three votes beat out five people with two votes each.

Running unopposed, Board of Selectmen Chairman Paul Ciaburri retained his seat with 258 votes. Arancio and former Old Rochester Regional High School soccer and track star Meg Hughes each received write-in votes.

Several other incumbents ran unopposed and easily retained their seats. Jana G. Cavanaugh received 262 votes for Board of Assessors; Jeffrey G. Eldridge 290

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received votes for Tree Warden; Kenneth B. Ross received 265 votes for Park Commission; Shauna A. Makuch (255) and Kelley Murray Medeiros (250) were reelected to the Library Trustees; and Robin M. Rounseville received 268 votes for one of two open seats on the Rochester Memorial School Committee.

Michael Amato and Craig Parker led write-in votes for RMS School Committee with four each. In an email to *The Wanderer*, Dawson wrote that the other vacancy is subject to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 41, Section 11, in which an appointment could be made by the Board of Selectmen.

Matthew A. Monteiro (274 votes) easily won an open seat on the Old Rochester Regional School Committee.

Sobering View of Arctic Meltdown, Jet Stream Impacts

By Marilou Newell

The Sippican Lands Trust has been offering a series of virtual presentations that not only have helped to keep us engaged as a community but have informed us on a myriad of topics from cooking with mushrooms to exploring the severity of climate change. In July, the SLT will host Dr. Greg Skomal who will give an update on his fascinating and important work tracking sharks along the east coast, most notably Buzzards Bay and Cape Cod Bay.

On May 18, the SLT hosted Dr. Jennifer Francis, a well-known Marion resident and research scientist whose passion for the climate cannot be overstated. It is, after all, her life's work. Francis has spent decades studying and researching Arctic climate with an increasing focus on shifting weather patterns and the implications that those shifts are the result of global warming.

Francis, a senior scientist at the Woodwell Climate Research Center in Falmouth, began by setting the stage for what can only be described as a wake-up call to the world – things, climate wise, are changing and accelerating at a much faster pace than previously believed. "It's not a question of *if*, but a question of how fast," Francis stated.

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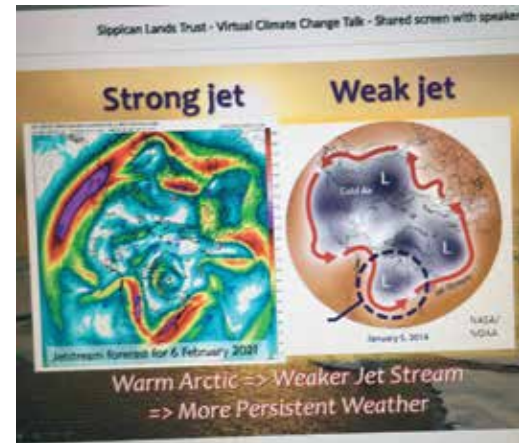


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related to global warming, Francis noted that sea-level rise, a result of melting ice in the Arctic, will impact high value properties along coastlines. She said that even though governments around the globe may not be willing to accept climate change realities, insurance companies are paying close attention.



Francis described in fairly simple terms the average person could understand that the Arctic jet stream is normally smooth or symmetrical, but researchers are observing curves in the jet stream that create weather extremes. She said that last winter's deep freeze of southern portions of the U.S. was an example of a curving or pockets in the Arctic jet stream. "It was minus-two degrees in Dallas, colder than Alaska and Greenland," she said.

The changes in the jet stream were compounded by a Polar Vortex, according to Francis. "The Polar Vortex can get disrupted; that's what happened in 2020. It happens every few years; it pushes the jet stream south," she said. This pushing affect, Francis explained, allowed warm air to move north in pockets, creating warmer temperatures in New England and other locales.

Francis' hypothesizes that a weakening jet stream will result in more frequent and more extreme weather patterns. "A warmer Arctic will create a weaker jet stream, which will generate persistent weather," she said.

Taking unique weather events as a whole, Francis explained that such events have tripled since 1980 and sharpened her point by saying, "Extreme weather events are related to climate change." She said that 20,000 years ago the planet was in the grips of the ice age. "Ever since then, it's been warming." But she explained that warming first attributed to natural changes has accelerated, most especially in the past few decades, the post-industrial age. Francis said, if the planet was not experiencing this abnormal warming, "We'd be in a cooling trend." She said the burning of fossil fuels has allowed temperatures to spike. She said that due to burning fossil fuels there has been a 3-degree temperature rise and that by the end of the century another degree of warmth will be experienced.

The impact of global warming also creates increased water vapor in the atmosphere. "Water vapor is a greenhouse gas.... More warming creates more water vapor, which traps CO2, which creates more storms, more



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and bigger hurricanes," she said. One could say it is an endless cycle we have created.

As Francis spoke, the realities of human impact on a global scale became clearer and more alarming. "Between 1948 and 2020, (a rise of) 5 degrees over the average temperatures is allowing sea ice to melt fast... Thick ice is nearly all gone," she said, and called the rapid loss of sea ice "breathtaking."

Francis said that our personal choices have a direct impact on global warming, from using energy-efficient appliances to decreasing the use of fossil fuels and voting from leaders who champion environmental issues. "If we do nothing, the Arctic ice will be gone in 30 years." She said the best course of action would be "aggressive emissions reduction."

Francis implored the audience: "Support energy conservation, ... educate yourself, [and] get involved."

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Bigger Users to Pay More for Water, Sewer

Marion Select Board

By Mick Colageo

In its May 26 special, remote-access meeting, the Marion Select Board passed new water and sewer rates for Fiscal Year 2022, and the new rates will include higher cost for larger consumers.

According to Town Administrator Jay McGrail, the town took on new debt last year due to the drought and the global pandemic, so more water was used and at a higher price. Marion approved a \$220,000 subsidy from free cash last year, a first for the town.

Consumption during the 2020 summer months saw a 31 percent increase, and overall usage went up 15 percent over 2019, according to McGrail, who said residents saw “extraordinarily large bills.... Our main focus in FY22 is to keep rates as low as possible.”

In order to accomplish that for the majority of residents, he and Finance Director Judy Mooney proposed a fourth tier to the rate system. Even so, McGrail said managing water usage is the best way to keep bills in check and urged residents to stay alert for breaks and leaks.

Marion surveyed surrounding towns and, despite billing on a quarterly basis (other area towns bill biannually), maintains rates that McGrail says approximate surrounding communities.

In making her presentation to the Select Board,

Mooney showed that a continuance of FY21 rates under the preexisting three-tier system would leave debt at the end of FY22. She recommended keeping the lower tiers (i.e. fixed income) as low as possible and adding a fourth tier.

The proposal was for a 3-percent increase on the first, second, and third tiers, and a new fourth tier with a 15-percent increase. The end game, explained Mooney, is trying to establish a \$100,000 surplus.

“We’re hitting the larger users, not the fixed income,” said Mooney, who recommended breaking up the preexisting third tier from its 494 ratepayers into 345 in the third tier and 149 in a new fourth tier. “We’re trying not to hit those lower tiers (fixed-income people).”

Both Mooney and Select Board member John Waterman acknowledged there are moving parts going forward with substantial ramifications.

Citing \$200,000 of retained earnings to subsidize rates, resulting in a budget sheet showing a surplus, not because of rate increases but because of the subsidy, Waterman noted “a lot of uncertainty in this budget.”

“We need to be as conservative as possible here,” agreed Mooney, pointing out that a dry FY22 would throw off the numbers.

In a slightly more conservative scenario, the new sewer rates include a 2-percent increase on the base rate, a 2.5-percent increase on tiers 2 and 3 and a higher increase for the fourth tier.



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A \$147,000 budget surplus is projected, but Mooney said the town needs the surplus more on the sewer side and targeted \$150,000. Like water, the new rates will be based on consumption and usage. "We hope that we're very conservative with our numbers; I think we are," said Mooney.

Sewer debt increased by \$250,000 (15 percent) over last year.

"We added a fourth tier, but it's a \$140 difference between the first and second tiers, but only a \$22 difference between the third and fourth tiers," said McGrail.

Waterman said that the FY22 budget is being subsidized by \$150,000 in retained earnings from the sewer enterprise fund. "Some of the debt is tied to the lagoon project, which is something none of us have control over," he said, thanking McGrail, Mooney, and Meghan Davis and Becky Tilden of the Department of Public Works for their time spent in three-hour meetings and what Select Board Chair Norm Hills called "many iterations" of the proposal.

COA Advisory Board Dissolves

Marion Select Board

By Mick Colageo

The Council on Aging is changing, as it always has, so when COA Chair Harry Norweb, COA Director Karen Gregory, and COA strategic planning leader Paul

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Naiman came before the Town of Marion with their two-part petition, Select Board Chair Norm Hills readily acknowledged that nowhere does it say a board is forever.

Norweb said the COA has transitioned multiple times in the past and it is time to transition once again. Acknowledging the COA's professional staff and home and ongoing opportunity for advocacy, Norweb told the Select Board that there has not been a single instance in his four years as chair where the advice of the Council on Aging's Advisory Board has been sought.

During the same period, he said, COA programs and services have expanded, requiring more volunteers.

Fifty-one years after the mission of the Advisory Board was established, the focus has shifted, said Norweb, who believes the dissolution of the Advisory Board would allow COA volunteers to more effectively spend their time. "Volunteers don't get paid – not because they're worthless, but because they're priceless," he said, quoting author Sherry Anderson.

Fourteen of the 18 COA members present at an April meeting unanimously voted their approval for the recommendation that the COA's Advisory Board transitions from an appointed board to informal groups of volunteers. Norweb said the COA is now in the hands of a full-time director (Gregory) and a professional staff that reports to Town Administrator Jay McGrail.

After hearing out Norweb, Gregory, and Naiman, and offering comments, the Select Board voted to approve the recommendation and the added motion that the Advisory Board suspend regular meetings until it is decided that this is, in fact, the right move.

Select Board member John Waterman told Norweb it is important that any agreement leave open a pathway for the Advisory Board to revisit the matter.

Attorney Mark Bobrowski appeared in an appointment representing developer Ken Steen in a petition for approval of an increase in his Heron Cove development. The Local Initiative Program (LIP) calls for an increase to a maximum of 120 residential units and 252 bedrooms. No fewer than 25 percent of construction is to be rentals.

McGrail told the Select Board that the town has been negotiating with Steen over the past six months. Conditions include a clause that the agreement cannot be used to bypass the Zoning Board of Appeals; an October 1, 2021 project-approval deadline; substantial financial agreements including a \$590,000 payment to the town to support the treatment of wastewater; a \$410,000 sewer connection fee; installation of a sewer line on the northern part of Route 6 to Hill Street; payment of a 10-percent bid

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Town Counsel John Witten attended the meeting along with Steen's engineer Phil Cordeiro and developer Sherman Briggs, who would address the board before its adjournment. With 41 buildings, Heron Cove is expected to be back before the ZBA in July. Briggs' discussion centered around sewer hookups.

Tucker Burr was appointed as an alternate member to the ZBA and will fulfill Louise Nadler's term scheduled to expire in June 2022. Nadler resigned the post. McGrail said he is working on a training program with Witten designed to prepare potential candidates for Planning Board and ZBA.

Action Items included the Select Board's approval of a reduced grease interceptor at Brew Fish with the condition of inspection every two months instead of

quarterly.

The Select Board voted to approve Fire Chief Brian Jackvony's new five-year contract. Jackvony's term was up at the end of July. "He's done a super job," said McGrail.

The board reappointed member Randy Parker as the Select Board's delegate to the Mattapoisett River Valley Water District Commission (three years) and Water Protection Advisory Committee (one year). Marion is also represented on the MRV by DPW Director Nathaniel Munafo and DPW Engineer Meghan Davis.

McGrail announced Employee Handbook revisions designed to give recent non-union personnel maneuvering proper administration. Former Recreation Director Jody Dickerson, transitioned to the DPW in January, now has the title Highway & Parks supervisor, a Grade E position equal to his former position. McGrail

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2	Eli MacGregor	Rochester	Ian MacGregor	Mattapoisett	Open Division	1:56:43	2nd Place
3	Jay Lawrence	Middleboro	Andy Weigel	Rochester	Open Division	1:57:22	3rd Place
4	Dana Barrows	Mattapoisett	Paul Milde	Mattapoisett	Open Division	2:00:44	
5	Heather Veilleux	Rochester	C. J. Hedges IV	Marion	Co-Ed Division	2:05:41	2nd Place
6	George Kirby V	Rochester	Andy Hammerman	Cotopaxi Ecuador	Open Division	2:06:03	
7	Matt Buckley	Mattapoisett	Peter MacGregor	Rochester	Open Division	2:06:06	
8	Cameron Alves	Fairhaven	James Gonneville	Rochester	Open Division	2:09:21	
9	Jack Barrows	Mattapoisett	Nick Barrows	Mattapoisett	Open Division	2:09:23	
10	Caitlin Stopka	Rochester	Gary Stopka	Rochester	Co-Ed Division	2:10:06	3rd Place
11	Tucker Roy	Rochester	Cliff Hedges V	Marion	Open Division	2:12:57	
12	Drew Weaver	Mattapoisett	Jeff Eldridge	Rochester	Open Division	2:13:28	
13	Gregory Kornichuk	Lakeville	Michael Gifford	Marion	Open Division	2:13:45	
14	Ryan Stopka	Rochester	Mike Prushnik	Rochester	Open Division	2:13:54	
15	Henri Roy	Rochester	Jonathan Roy	Rochester	Parent/Child Division	2:16:24	1st Place
16	Terry Allen	Acushnet	Josh Allen	Acushnet	Open Division	2:20:17	
17	Chelsea Allen	Spencer	Megan Smith	New Bedford	Women's Division	2:21:47	1st Place
18	Wyatt Harding	Rochester	Harrison Harding Jr.	Rochester	Parent/Child Division	2:22:31	2nd Place
19	Trevor Stopka	Rochester	Gabe Shriver	Rochester	Open Division	2:22:36	
20	Graham Poirier	Marion	Will Poirier	Marion	Open Division	2:25:49	
21	Jodi Lynn Bauer	Mattapoisett	Shi Major	Mattapoisett	Women's Division	2:33:42	2nd Place
22	Mary Jones	Medway	Alex Buckley	Wareham	Co-Ed Division	2:36:13	
23	Marina Stephens	Mattapoisett	Lauren Eldridge	Rochester	Women's Division	2:38:32	3rd Place
24	Daphne Poirier	Marion	Rebecca Milde	Mattapoisett	Women's Division	2:39:28	
25	Christina Beam	Manlius NY	Kylie Beam	Manlius NY	Women's Division	2:39:41	
26	James Mattson	Rochester	Oliver Lizotte	South Boston	Open Division	2:46:25	
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is equally happy with the performances of Health Nurse Lori Desmarais and DPW Office Manager Becky Tilden. The Select Board approved all of the reclassifications proposed. The board also approved several staff reappointments, Water/Sewer commitments, and Recreation Department user fees.

In his Town Administrator's Report, McGrail told the Select Board that completion of the lagoon cleanup project is targeted for December 3, 2021. The next operation is to remove sludge from Lagoon 1. Concrete walls are in production, and the town is exploring ways to save money on the floor, citing the high cost of sand.

McGrail was disappointed to report that air-conditioning on the first floor of the Town House, a goal of his since last year, is unlikely to be completed in time for the hot summer months. Nonetheless, the beautification of the main entrance is almost complete, and the interior is within two weeks of being finished.

After two straight cancellations, in 2019 by the EEE virus and in 2020 by COVID-19, Marion will hold a Town Party on August 28.

The next Water/Sewer Commissioners meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 24, and the next regular meeting of the Select Board is scheduled for Tuesday, June 22, at 6:00 pm at the Music Hall.

Mattapoissett Prepares for Summer

Mattapoissett Select Board

By Marilou Newell

On June 1, the members of the Mattapoissett Select Board, seasoned veteran and Chairman Jordan Collyer and newly elected member Jodi Bauer met to discuss various aspects of reopening the town for business both commercial and public.

With the board members seated in the conference room at Town Hall alongside Town Administrator Mike Lorenzo and Assistant to Town Operations Christine Richards, the remote meeting access granted a bridge for those wishing to participate from home, a bridge that may become permanent. Collyer and Bauer heard from Lorenzo that Governor Baker is allowing use of remote meeting platforms until June 15, while legislation may grant continued use of remote meetings for greater public participation.

"It's most likely the governor will mandate that a quorum of a committee must be present in a public location but that those wishing to participate remotely will have that option," said Lorenzo, who added that the governor may be looking at making some virtual meeting modes permanent options. He reiterated, however, that for such matters as public hearings, participants would have to be in attendance where the meeting is taking place. They would not be allowed to participate remotely.

The Select Board members both believe it is a good idea to grant public access via remote platforms. Collyer said it works well for people with children who want to participate but are unable to leave their homes.

Lorenzo also said that current state guidelines mandate the wearing of masks by those who have not been vaccinated and are inside a commercial or public structure and cannot maintain 6 feet of social distance. He noted that on May 29 the mask mandate was lifted by the governor but left in place were masking requirements for the unvaccinated, as well as masks for everyone entering congregate and health care facilities and public modes of transportation such as buses and taxis.

The board met with members of the Lions Club to affirm their approval for the annual Harbor Days

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Collyer also said that, should the pandemic conditions escalate, "We reserve the right to cancel it." He said vendors should have hand sanitizers available for themselves and the public. Saunders said that, given that the number of vendors has been reduced, there would be plenty of room for people to move around in Shipyard Park.

Returning this summer and approved by the board are band concerts in the gazebo at Shipyard Park beginning on July 7 through August 25 from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm under the leadership of bandleader Jim Farmer.

Also returning will be a night of square dancing on the wharves on July 10 at 6:00 pm, but the annual Mattapoisett Fourth of July Road Race was postponed until August 21.

Continuing on the theme of "things seem to be heading in the right direction," Lorenzo said that the Council on Aging is slowly resuming its activities to pre-Covid levels and that the library is now fully open. "All businesses can operate at 100 percent capacity," he said.

The board discussed whether to sell one-day beach parking passes for the two public beaches located on Water Street and Aucoot Road. After serious consideration that included the need to continue to use

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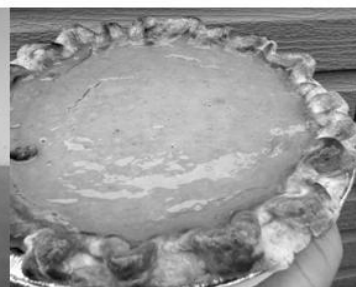
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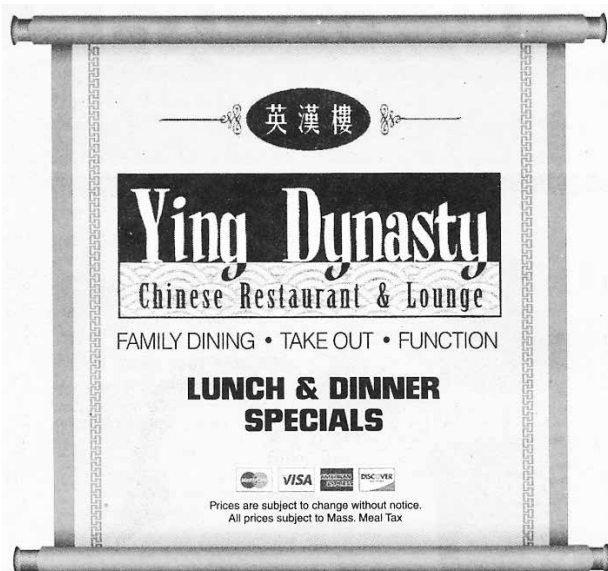
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the Water Street parking area for boat trailers given that construction materials are still be stockpiled at the Depot Street public parking area for the bike path construction, the board decided to limit beach parking privileges to residents only.

Regarding beaches, Lorenzo said that the parking area at the beach at the end of Reservation Road is strictly private property owned by the Reservation Golf Course and that violators would be ticketed and cars would be towed. He also said that a full-time attendant will be posted at Aucoot Beach this summer.

Collyer acknowledged that planning will have to resume for Good Speed Island when the new section of the bike path opens. He said that late member John DeCosta had been spearheading those plans, but that such matters as trash receptacles and policing need to be addressed.

In other business, the board decided to delay the annual town appointments process until after the July 27 special election to fill the seat vacated by the passing of DeCosta. They feel that a full board is necessary given that Select Board members often recuse themselves from voting on appointments. The board did, however, appoint six shellfish constables: Harbormaster Jamie McIntosh, John Delenanty, Adam Perkins, Wayne Ferreira, Gerald Beaudion, and Robert Clavin. Collyer said this is the beginning of transitioning the responsibilities for the shellfish program from the animal control officer to the harbormaster.

There was conversation with resident Colleen Trahan, who said she is interested in a seat on the Finance Committee, but after submitting her letter of interest had not heard anything in return. Collyer encouraged her to resubmit her letter of interest and resume after explaining that seats on that committee are based on neighborhoods – one member from each of the designated neighborhoods plus two member-at-large seats.

Collyer said anyone interested in volunteering for a town committee seat should send their letter of interest to the town administrator and copy the Select Board.

Lorenzo announced that the state of Massachusetts now recognizes Juneteenth as a holiday

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and as such town services will be closed. He said that Juneteenth is a day that commemorates the June 19, 1865 event when Union Major General Gordon Granger rode into Galveston, Texas to alert slaves that they were emancipated.

The next meeting of the Mattapoissett Select Board is scheduled for Tuesday, June 22, at 6:30 pm.

Harbor Days Moving Forward

Mattapoissett Board of Health

By Marilou Newell

With the Baker administration set to lift all manner of pandemic-related restrictions, the brief May 26 meeting of Public Health Nurse Emily Field and the Board of Health was a classic case of no news is good news.

Regarding the upcoming Lions Club fundraiser known as Harbor Days, Field said that while information from the CDC and the state remains "fluid," it appeared that many if not all previous restrictions on gatherings outdoors were about to be lifted. "No more face masks outside after May 29," she announced.

Field reported that confirmed COVID-19 cases remain low and that she has been working with the Tri-Town boards to set up vaccine clinics in the coming days. The clinics will offer vaccines to anyone 12 years of age and older. She said that plans include a clinic at the Rochester Fire Station and possibly at Old Rochester Regional High School. Dates were not mentioned.

In other business, septic systems, both repairs and new construction, took up the lion's share of the nearly two-hour long public meeting.

A hearing to vet variances or waivers requested by Robert Malm, Lot 88 on Aucoot Road and represented by David Davignon of Schneider, Davignon, & Leone, Inc., received impassioned pushback from abutters. As detailed by Davignon, the property owner wishes to develop the southern portion of the nearly 7-acre site, leaving the northern section open to future development. Davignon said that a denitrification F.A.S.T. septic system would be installed and thus would be permitted for installation within 50 feet of wetlands delineated on the property. Such construction would require a variance from the Board of

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Abutter Jeffrey Humphrey spoke strongly against the project, including his direct question to the BOH: "If most of the people are against the project, is that relevant to your decision making?" BOH Chair Carmelo Nicolosi responded, "If it relates to the regulations." Humphrey said of the proposal, "If there is a reasonable alternative (to the proposed septic location), then this matter should not be granted."

Abutters Julie and Jonathan Craig stated that, given that the northern acres are outside the 100-foot wetlands delineation, Malm does not have a hardship requiring a variance; he simply needs to use the northern area of the property for his septic system. The Craigs also said that an appeal has been filed with the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection against the conditions issued to Malm for development of the southern portion by the Mattapoissett Conservation Commission.

Malm explained that, while nothing is planned for the immediate future of the northern acreage, he wants to save that land for his children and grandchildren's future use. In order to develop the northern acreage, Malm said, the southern acreage would need to have a septic system located as designed – within 50 feet of wetlands.

Nicolosi told Malm, "You are able to meet the regulations.... You've created your own hardship."



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The other board members agreed that no hardship exists outside that being created by Malm's proposal to separate the lots in the future. The application was denied.

Nicolosi told *The Wanderer* in a follow-up that revised Board of Health regulations that would put local requirements more in line with the state requirements are pending full implementation. He said that the board and town administration want to ensure that changes put in place in March 2020 receive full public vetting since those meetings were held during the early stages of remote-access platforms. If it is found that "all the 'T's were not dotted or 'T's crossed, we'll take care of that in an advertised public meeting," he said.

The two applications needing to be continued pending clear confirmation that the BOH's updated regulations had been legally vetted last March are located on Brandt Island Road lots 56 and 57 respectively owned by Stephen Napolitano and Ralph Cotellesso. Their hearings were continued until June 23.

Representing 7 Acorn Lane, owned by Michael Florio in what was deemed a "straight up" request for variances that fall within current regulations, was Richard Charon of Charon Associates. The request was approved.

Also approved was Charles Tate's request for waivers for an upgrade to an existing septic system. The project is located at 218 North Street and was represented by Bob Field of Field Engineering.

In a final piece of business, Nicolosi said that letters of understanding with several Board of Health inspections have been signed. The need to outsource inspectional services came on the heels of the departure of the town's health agent. He also said that Town Administrator Mike Lorenzo would soon post the opening and review other resumes received about a year ago.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Health is scheduled for Wednesday, June 23, at 10:00 am.

Sewer vs. Septic Not So Simple

Marion Board of Health

By Mick Colageo

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In a public hearing for two variances at 689 Point Road, applicants George and Lynn Whitney were represented by engineer Dave Davignon of Schneider, Davignon, & Leone, Inc.

Planning a "FAST" denitrification system, Davignon asked the board for a 2-foot groundwater separation so he could utilize the allowance given by the state Department of Environmental Protection and proposed to pressure-dose the leaching field and thereby eliminate what he called "an obscene mound in the front yard."

The other variance sought relief from Marion's design flow requirements of 510 gallons on the basis that the pressure dose system will disperse the water throughout the entire 42-foot by 20-foot leaching field.

Davignon displayed the plan, including the difference between new and old regulations, the latter of which he summarized as "bigger is better." If denied the variances, Davignon also displayed how an alternate design would make the leaching field even smaller than what is presently allowed. He furthermore asserted that the board's approval would bring about a better outcome for the environment.

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separation field. It's the best system for everybody," said Davignon, adding that the two alternatives would be smaller and create a pronounced lump in the yard. The applicant had developed a sewer-tie-in plan, but Davignon said associated costs to overcome obstacles and an engineering study were double and therefore not feasible.

Before voting her approval with the condition of a busier testing schedule at the outset, BOH member Dot Brown scrutinized the plan.

"Our goal now at the Board of Health is not to grant variances. We have rules, and if they don't work, we should change them," she said. "I need a new design, I need a design that uses that original IA system that you're proposing, but also meets the flow requirement for the fourth bedroom that's being added.... And, yes, it really is a new system because it's got a fourth bedroom, and that requires more flow.

"I get why you can have the 2 feet (of groundwater separation) because of that specific IA system, but ... none of those individual designs do both of those things."

Davignon said he has the ability, should the applicant be granted the 2-foot, groundwater separation variance, to revise the plan to include a larger stone size and thereby increase the flow to meet requirements.

Brown reasserted her opinion that a \$30,000 investment in tying into town sewer is ultimately



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preferable to a septic system of the same basic price, but Davignon said town sewer lacks enough incentive considering the age of the current private line and the hard line taken by the town and the owner of the line as to the costs.

"Nearly \$14,000 just for permission to tie into a line is over the top," said Davignon, who added that a study needs to be completed before the town can determine that permission to tie in is feasible. "We were going nowhere with the sewer connection." Davignon said the applicant worked toward that end for several months and even submitted a plan.

"When you match up costs, I have to say, Dot, the maintenance for this system on a yearly basis is a lot

less than what the charges will be ... for the use of (town) sewer.... There's no win-win here until the town starts to bring down the costs to give people incentive to tie in."

Brown objected to Davignon's argument on the basis that the applicant's preferred costs are based on obtaining a variance around existing regulations. Davignon stated that the applicant's request is based on long-existent DEP regulations.

"The DEP isn't worried about protecting saltwater the way we are either," said Brown. "Those rules are not just the ones we're looking at; we're looking at Marion's rules, and the argument that DEP lets it happen is not an important argument."

Brown said that the proposed system lacks a fail-safe. "I have a whole lot of questions," she said, restating the desire to see the applicant's "real plan" before voting on a variance.

Health Agent Anna Wimmer suggested that the standard conditions allow a 50-percent reduction in flow with the 2-foot variance for depth to groundwater. The flow being requested, according to Wimmer, is still above the 50-percent reduction outlined in Title 5 by approximately 200 gallons per day. The technology, Wimmer said, is able to process more sewerage. Therefore, she suggested, it should not be necessary to go through the application process again.

Davignon said the leaching field would be extended but that the design remains the same. Brown disagreed.

Chair Ed Hoffer called the discussion "a little nitpicky," called the system "well vetted," and suggested that, in granting a variance, the BOH can make the proposal meet the 510-gallon flow requirement.

The BOH ultimately voted unanimously to approve the variance to 2 feet of groundwater separation, an expanded leaching field to meet the 510 gallon-per-day flow requirement and conditioned the construction with testing on a quarterly basis for a year, then every six months, then annually as regularly prescribed.

Brown asked that the Water & Sewer Commissioners be in the loop for such applications.

In her Health Agent Report, Wimmer told the

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BOH that the new owner of property at 284 and 286 Converse Road would like to move in, and the cesspool on the property has been inspected by a registered sanitarian.

The owner has a contract to construct a compliant septic system. The address is in the black zone sewer-wise, according to Wimmer, which means the sewer line that runs along Route 6 is on a higher elevation and the property's tie-in would require a pump. Sewer was considered not to be feasible, and the application was approved with the condition of a weekly inspection.

In her Public Health Nurse report, Lori Desmarais stated that, as of May 26, Marion had 423 total COVID-19 cases, including four in May, with one active. In the schools, Sippican had no one in quarantine or isolation. The elementary school has seen 39 total cases. Old Rochester Regional High School had two in quarantine but no one in isolation as of May 26, and 108 cases altogether. With 40 confirmed cases since the beginning of the pandemic, ORR Junior High had two people in quarantine as of May 26, and one in isolation.

Tabor Academy had no one in quarantine or isolation and continues surveillance testing. Sippican Healthcare Center had gone 14 days without any positive tests. There were no positive cases, and 111 residents and/or staff have recovered while 130 remained negative.

Routine sampling for the beaches will begin on June 14 and go through September 6. The two beaches



opening prior to June 14 require testing within five days of opening.

The BOH may consider reorganizing in the fall, pending the continued success of the state's reopening. The next meeting of the Marion Board of Health was not scheduled upon adjournment.

Harbor Management Plan Key to Grant Funding

Mattapoissett Marine Advisory Board

By Marilou Newell

On May 27, the Mattapoissett Marine Advisory Board invited Kristin Uiterwyk of UMass Boston's Urban Harbors Institute to present an outline of the process and



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the benefits of having a harbor management plan.

First championed by Mattapoisett Harbormaster Jamie McIntosh to map out immediate and long-range planning for the harbor and its various compounds, McIntosh believes a harbor management plan is an important tool for establishing achievable goals in an integrated manner that would help to position the town for future grants.

Uiterwyk shared an outline of what the process for developing a plan could include and the associated benefits. *The Wanderer* received a copy of that document.

Listed as part of the process under the title "Social Benefits" were engagement of impacted businesses, industries, and community members involved in environmental issues, historical oversight, and tourism. The process would achieve "consensus on harbor issues among stakeholders," Uiterwyk had written.

The section "Environmental Benefits" noted a harbor management plan could inventory and characterize environmental resources, establish efficient and safe patterns of use, and promote understanding of current harbor conditions.

A third section of the plan titled "Intergovernmental Coordination Benefits" listed the following: assists in identifying gaps and improving the effectiveness of existing local land and water use regulations and coordinating with state and federal programs; provides guidance to state and federal government for their regulatory decisions – if the plan is state approved; and lastly provides opportunity to

incorporate harbor planning into climate resiliency planning.

A harbor management plan can also identify areas of concern or deficiencies such as navigation and dredging, recreational boating infrastructure, public safety, shell fishing, beach management, public access, water quality, and natural resource protection.

Uiterwyk said that a harbor management plan looking to receive municipal approval takes between 18 and 24 months to complete, while a program prepared for state certification could take upwards of 36 months. "It's a process," she said.

Marine Advisory Board member Bob Moore asked Uiterwyk how much a harbor plan would focus on sea level rise. She responded that it varies from town to town and that such data could be in a dedicated section. Chairman Carlos DeSousa said that the Master Plan Committee is currently focusing on sea level rise. Moore also wondered about the potential of federal funding for concerns relating to sea level rise. Uiterwyk said, "There is a lot of potential for federal funding."

In other business, McIntosh reported that the navigation aids have been placed in the channel and that 82 floating cages of shellfish are now in Pine Island Pond. He applauded the volunteers whose efforts are critical in making the shellfish program possible and singled out Bill Mansfield. Seed shellfish will be arriving soon, he said, but no specific date was announced at the meeting.

McIntosh also noted the coordinated efforts of the Lions Club, Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School, and his department in repainting the Shipyard Park gazebo.

Grant monies earmarked for repairs and improvements to Long Wharf were briefly noted. A grant from the Seaport Economic Council in the amount of \$216,000 combined with a 25-percent matching from the town's coffers were mentioned.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Marine Advisory Board is scheduled for Thursday, June 24, at 7:00 pm.

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Sippican Votes Against School Choice

Marion School Committee

By Mick Colageo

After conducting a public hearing during its May 19 meeting, the Marion School Committee voted against School Choice for the 2021-22 academic year. Old Rochester Regional Superintendent of Schools Mike Nelson noted prior to the vote that in recent years Sippican has chosen not to be a School Choice school.

Asked by member Mary Beauregard during the public hearing, Nelson explained that for every student enrolled in a School Choice slot the school district receives \$5,000 but that the per-pupil costs more than double that amount. If there are special services and/or an Individual Education Plan, there is also reimbursement for an additional claim to 100 percent.

There is approximately \$167,000 remaining in Sippican School's overall \$6,700,000 annual budget, according to Assistant Superintendent of Finance and Operations Howie Barber.

Nelson told the committee that the May 10 Marion and Mattapoisett town meetings not only voted approval for local school budgets but also for the ORR District budget, resulting in the passing of that budget as well.

DESE has promised additional funding not only for next academic year but for the summer "as we bridge the gap," said Nelson. "We'll share more information as

that rolls out."

Sippican School Principal Marla Sirois reported that Sippican has begun MCAS testing and that Grades 3-5 have completed their ELA test, Grades 3-4 have completed math, and Grades 3-5 were to complete math by the end of the May 17-21 school week.

Grade 6-8, Sirois said, are on a separate timeline per the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE). The result is Grade 6 is taking ELA this week and Grade 5 is taking science. Grade 6 will take math in June.

"This week has been a big change for us," said Sirois, calling the band's resumption "a collective sigh of relief and an excitement at the same time. It's great to be



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in that space for the rest of the school year.”

Sirois also reported that the Sippican School Council mapped out all three two-year goals for school improvement and will meet one more time on June 15.

Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning Dr. Jannell Pearson-Campbell gave a progress update on professional development and curriculum, the finalizing of self-assessment for DESE, a K-12 literacy plan, and inclusion-focused curriculum.

Noting that the Joint School Committee approved the Professional Development Plan, Pearson-Campbell explained it as a six-year plan that is in its early stages and will require committee involvement.

Director of Student Services Craig Davidson announced a June 2-3 meet and greet with Sippican staff.



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At the conclusion of its public meeting, the Marion School Committee entered executive session.

In its most recent meeting, the ORR School Committee recognized outgoing members Cary Humphrey and Tina Rood.

The last meeting of the Marion School Committee for 2020-21 is scheduled for June 9, and the Joint School Committee is scheduled to meet June 17. All school committee meetings are scheduled to begin at 6:30 pm, but format has yet to be determined for future meetings.

ORR Lacrosse Teams Stay Perfect

Sports Roundup

By Nick Friar

Both Old Rochester Regional High School boys and girls lacrosse teams have played five games so far this season, and neither team has had a hiccup yet. Most recently, the Bulldogs lacrosse programs put their respective 4-0 records to the test against Fairhaven on May 31. Both won by double-digit scores.

ORR boys lacrosse knocked off the Blue Devils, 20-1, following up their crucial 11-4 win on May 28 over previously undefeated Dighton-Rehoboth. **Brendan McIntire** continues to lead the Bulldogs on offense, scoring five goals and dishing out three assists in the win against Fairhaven. **Brady Lee** had a hat trick against the Blue Devils, finishing with four goals and an assist, and **Tyler Cardinal** also had five points in the win, scoring three times while assisting two goals.

Just like the ORR boys, girls lacrosse had a tougher time with Dighton-Rehoboth than Fairhaven. But the Bulldogs still beat the Falcons comfortably, 19-11, thanks in large part to **Maddie Wright** and her six goals. **Teagan Shay** finished second with four goals against Dighton-Rehoboth, and **Maggie Carroll** had three in the May 28 win. Then, on May 31, the Bulldogs took care of business at home against the Blue Devils, winning 18-8.

ORR girls lacrosse will host Greater New Bedford Voc-Tech on Thursday, June 3, at 5:30 pm. The boys will also take on GNB Voc-Tech on Thursday, June 3, but they'll be in New Bedford with a 4:00 pm start time.

Old Colony Boys Lacrosse

Will Harrop's four goals and two assists, as well as **Stu Burnham's** hat trick, were not enough against Southeastern on May 26. As a result, the Cougars not only lost the game 10-8, but also their chance at a perfect season. Old Colony (5-1, 3-1 Mayflower Athletic Conference) visits Upper Cape on Thursday, June 3, at 3:30 pm, then is at Tri-County on Friday, June 4, at 3:30 pm.

Old Colony Girls Lacrosse

The Cougars have reached the .500 mark after taking care of Southeastern, 10-7, on May 26. **Abby Pitts** accounted for almost half of Old Colony's offensive output, scoring seven times in the win. **Savanna Halle** also had a big day, assisting three goals and scoring two of her own. Following a June 2 game against Middleboro,



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Old Colony (3-3, 3-1 MAC) hosts Tri-County on Friday, June 4, at 4:00 pm.

Old Rochester Regional Boys Tennis

Jacob Hadley has yet to lose a match in his young varsity career, having won all five he has played so far for ORR this season. The freshman took care of business again at second singles on May 28. **Max Vivino** earned the win at third singles for the Bulldogs, and both the first doubles team of **Prosser Friedman** and **Markus Pierre** and the second doubles team of **George Barry** and **Philip LeGassick** were victorious against Somerset Berkley in ORR's 4-1 win. The Bulldogs (4-1) get back to work on Friday, June 4, at home against Wareham at 2:30 pm.

Old Rochester Regional Girls Tennis

Katelyn Luong proved to be the difference in the Bulldogs' 3-2 win over Somerset Berkley on May 28. ORR's second singles player secured her point, while **Emma Vivino** and **Mack Wilson** took care of business at first doubles and at second doubles **Erin Besancon** and **Molly Dupre** locked up their point. The Bulldogs (4-1) visit Wareham on Friday, June 4, at 2:30 pm.

Old Rochester Regional Baseball

The Bulldogs improved to an even 2-2 with their come-from-behind 8-4 win against Somerset Berkley on May 26. **Chris Gauvin** led the Bulldogs with two hits, and both **Lucas Mello** and **Owen Bates** had a two-run RBI doubles in the win. Old Rochester hosts Bourne on Wednesday, June 9, at 3:45 pm.



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Old Colony Baseball

Kyle St. Jean struck out seven and walked two over three no-hit innings against Bristol Aggie on May 27, then **Justin MacKay** struck out five over two perfect frames to earn a combined no-hitter in Old Colony's five-inning 18-0 win. **Mason Santos** led Old Colony with three hits and three runs scored, while **Ethan Keller** went 2-4 with three RBI. The Cougars (4-1, 2-1 MAC) visit Cape Cod Tech at 3:30 pm on Thursday, June 3, then host Dartmouth on Friday, June 4, at 4:30 pm.

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The Wanderer gladly accepts any and all news and press release items from local nonprofit organizations for publication on a weekly basis. The

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To the Editor;

The volunteers at Cushing Cemetery have been working very hard to clean up after the winter and prolonged dry spell and storms. It takes a lot of work to keep picking up branches, trimming trees and bushes, cutting up fallen trees, and carting the debris to the transfer station.

Over the last few weeks we have had some problems with our trashcans and our grave plots. You, the owners of these plots, can help us, the volunteers who have to separate the trash by just doing a few



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Thursday June 3, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Health Source
8:00 AM Health Expert
8:37 AM Help and Hope
Southcoast
9:00 AM Recovery Fitness
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM The Art of Being Human
11:00 AM Learning Music with Pat
11:30 AM Lucy's World of Painting
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Chundria Show
2:00 PM Southcoast Matters
3:00 PM Let's Talk Business
3:43 PM Mike Paige Doodle Club
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Books and the World
5:00 PM Governor Baker
COVID-19 Update
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM The World Fusion Show
7:00 PM Money Matters TV
7:30 PM Off the Shelf
8:00 PM A Conversation With...
8:30 PM Reeling Movie Review
9:00 PM Stop My Crisis
9:30 PM Registers Report
10:00 PM Talking Trek
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Friday June 4, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM Health Source
8:30 AM Timing is Everything
9:00 AM Recovery Fitness
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM The Art of Being Human
11:00 AM Cape Conversation
11:32 AM Learning Music with pat
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Chundria Show
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:36 PM The Non-Profit World
3:00 PM Southcoast Matters
4:00 PM Beacon Hill Report

4:30 PM Recovery Recreation TV
5:00 PM Governor Baker
COVID-19 Update
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Marion Art Center
Presents - LZ Bravo
7:30 PM In the Toy Box
8:00 PM Reeling Movie Review
8:31 PM Stop My Crisis
9:00 PM Gay USA
10:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Saturday June 5, 2021

6:00 AM Saturday Morning
Cartoons
9:00 AM Governor Baker
COVID-19 Update
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM The Art of Being Human
11:00 AM Southcoast Matters
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Chundria Show
2:00 PM Let's Talk Business
2:42 PM ORRH Boys Varsity
Soccer vs Wareham - April 8, 2021
4:30 PM Paltrocst
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7:00 PM Off the Shelf
7:30 PM A Conversation With...
8:00 PM Reeling Movie Review
8:31 PM Money Matters TV
9:00 PM Registers Report
9:30 PM Gay USA
10:30 PM Two Tones with George Lopes
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Sunday June 6, 2021

6:00 AM Health Source
6:30 AM Living & Learning with Disabilities
7:30 AM Timing is Everything
8:00 AM Mattapoisett
Congregational Church
8:30 AM The Art of Being Human
9:00 AM First Congregational
Church of Rochester
10:00 AM St. Gabriel's Episcopal
Church of Marion
11:00 AM Cape Conversation
11:32 AM Lucy's World of Painting
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV

12:30 PM Grumpy Old Men
Cooking
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Chundria Show
2:00 PM Southcoast Matters
3:00 PM Inspiring Careers
3:30 PM In the Toy Box
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM The World Fusion Show
5:00 PM Governor Baker
COVID-19 Update
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Marion Art Center
Presents - Marcus Monteiro
8:00 PM Reeling Movie Review
8:30 PM Money Matters TV
9:00 PM IA Jock Talk
10:00 PM Ghost Chronicles
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Monday June 7, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM Health Expert
8:38 AM Glass Studio on Cape Cod
9:00 AM Recovery Recreation TV
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM The Art of Being Human
11:00 AM A Cranberry Harvest
11:30 AM Learning Music with Pat
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Chundria Show
2:00 PM Fall River Vietnam
Veterans Memorial Wall
Dedication
3:39 PM The Non-Profit World
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Beacon Hill Report
5:00 PM Governor Baker
COVID-19 Update
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Sippican Historical
Society - Cultural Heritage in
Times of Conflict
8:00 PM Registers Report
8:30 PM Reeling Movie Review
9:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
10:00 PM Talking Trek
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Tuesday June 8, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM Health Source
8:30 AM Schvitz'n with Norm

9:05 AM Tae Kwon Do
9:30 AM The Art of Being Human
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM ORRH Boys Varsity
Soccer vs Wareham - April 8, 2021
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Chundria Show
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:35 PM Learning Music with Pat
3:00 PM Southcoast Matters
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Books and the World
5:00 PM Governor Baker
COVID-19 Update
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Inspiring Careers
7:00 PM The World Fusion Show
7:30 PM Money Matters TV
8:00 PM Stop My Crisis
8:30 PM Two Tones with George Lopes
9:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
10:00 PM Gay USA
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Wednesday June 9, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Health Source
8:00 AM Living & Learning with Disabilities
9:00 AM Wellness Wednesday
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM The Art of Being Human
11:00 AM Mattapoisett
Congregational Church
11:30 AM Learning Music with Pat
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Chundria Show
2:00 PM Southcoast Matters
3:00 PM This is America & The World
3:30 PM A Conversation With...
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM The Chico and Bman Show
5:00 PM Governor Baker
COVID-19 Update
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM The World Fusion Show
7:00 PM Recovery Recreation TV

7:30 PM Reeling Movie Review
8:01 PM Registers Report
8:30 PM Books and the World
9:00 PM Gay USA
10:00 PM Ghost Chronicles
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

MARION GOVERNMENT Comcast Channel 95 Verizon Channel 39 Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Marion Conservation
Commission - May 26, 2021
9:00 AM Marion School
Committee - May 19, 2021
9:36 AM Marion Board of Health -
May 26, 2021
10:30 AM Marion Board of
Selectman - May 26, 2021
11:00 AM Marion Zoning Board of
Appeals - May 13, 2021
11:34 AM Marion Planning Board
- May 17, 2021
1:00 PM ORR School Committee
- May 12, 2021
3:30 PM Marion Conservation
Commission - May 26, 2021
5:30 PM Marion School
Committee - May 19, 2021
6:06 PM Marion Board of Health -
May 26, 2021
7:00 PM Marion Board of
Selectman - May 26, 2021
7:30 PM Marion Zoning Board of
Appeals - May 13, 2021
8:04 PM Marion Planning Board -
May 17, 2021
9:30 PM ORR School Committee
- May 12, 2021

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT Comcast Channel 95 Verizon Channel 40 Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Rochester Board of
Selectman - May 17, 2021
7:37 AM Rochester Annual Town
Meeting - May 24, 2021
8:30 AM Rochester Conservation
Commission - May 18, 2021
9:14 AM Rochester Zoning Board
of Appeals - May 13, 2021
10:33 AM ORR School Committee
- May 12, 2021
1:00 PM Rochester School
Committee - May 6, 2021
3:00 PM Rochester Board of
Selectman - May 17, 2021

3:37 PM Rochester Annual Town
Meeting - May 24, 2021
4:30 PM Rochester Conservation
Commission - May 18, 2021
5:14 PM Rochester Zoning Board
of Appeals - May 13, 2021
6:33 PM ORR School Committee
- May 12, 2021
9:00 PM Rochester School
Committee - May 6, 2021
11:00 PM Rochester Board of
Selectman - May 17, 2021
11:37 PM Rochester Annual Town
Meeting - May 24, 2021

EDUCATION CHANNEL Comcast Channel 97 Verizon Channel 37 Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Bulldog Weekly
7:30 AM Marion COA Meditation -
May 25, 2021
8:33 AM Mattapoisett Library
Storytime with Miss Chris
9:00 AM Fall River Vietnam
Veterans Memorial Wall
Dedication
11:00 AM Marion Art Center
Presents - LZ Bravo
12:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
12:30 PM ORRH Varsity
Baseball vs Fairhaven - May
21, 2021
2:35 PM Sippican Historical
Society - Cultural Heritage in
Times of Conflict
4:00 PM Marion Art Center
Presents - Marcus Monteiro
5:30 PM The Jeannine Hunt
Experience - Anthony White
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM Marion Art Center
Presents - LZ Bravo
7:30 PM Sippican Historical
Society - Cultural Heritage in
Times of Conflict
9:00 PM ORRH Girls Varsity
Soccer vs GNBVT - April 19, 2021
10:41 PM ORRH Varsity
Baseball vs Fairhaven - May
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Thank you,

Dana Tripp, Superintendent of Cushing Cemetery.

Mattapoisett Special Town Election

Mattapoisett will be holding a Special Election on Tuesday, **July 27**. This election is to fill a vacancy on the Select Board until the Annual Town Election in May 2023. Nomination papers are available until Friday, **June 4**, at 5:00 pm at the Town Clerk's Office. Please call 508-758-4100 x 2 or email the Town Clerk at townclerk@mattapoisett.net with any questions.

Mattapoisett Congregational Church Scholarships

Lenore Everett, Candace "Lee" Heald, and Cindy Johnson, members of the Memorials & Celebrations Committee of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church, had the pleasure of introducing this year's scholarship recipients during worship on Sunday, May 16 in an

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outdoor service on a beautiful, warm sunny day. The recipients are **Margaret Berry, Ellijah Burlinson, Margaret Carroll, Ella Meninno and Rebecca Milde.**

Margaret, "Maggie," and Rebecca are graduating seniors from Old Rochester Regional High School in Mattapoisett. Ella is a senior at Bishop Stang in Dartmouth, and Elijah is a senior at Fairhaven High School. **Maggie Carroll** received the Dagmar Coquillette Memorial Scholarship. All of these star students are members of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church family of whom we are most proud, and each receives a \$1,000 scholarship.

The service was followed by a brief reception on the lawn with cookies provided by the committee.

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Stephen Joseph Rogers, 88, of New Bedford passed away on Tuesday, May 25, 2021 surrounded by his family. He was born on July 16, 1932 in New Bedford to Joseph Rogers and Mary (Oliveira) Rogers.

Steve was a U. S. Army Korean War Veteran and served in the Occupational Forces in Germany.

Steve graduated from Dartmouth High School and received a Bachelor's Degree in Education from Fitchburg State College. He was the Founder/Owner of Whaling City Drywall, Inc., and later became a Carpentry Instructor at Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School.

He was an ice hockey AHA and NCAA referee and member of the Naragansett Wheelman. Steve was also a member of the Marion, Allendale and New Bedford Country Clubs. He served on the New Bedford Cultural Council and the Veteran's Advisory Board. In addition, he was a member of the Zeiterion Theater, the Friends of Buttonwood Park, and the Whaling Museum. For many years, he participated in the Art Therapy for Seniors Program. He volunteered as a tour guide at the Waterfront Historic District, and as a docent at the Fort Taber/Fort Rodman Military Museum.

Stephen is survived by his wife of 55 years, Helen (Seferiadis) Rogers; his son, Christopher Joseph Rogers of Dartmouth; his daughter Elaine (Rogers) Dupre of Dartmouth and her husband Peter; and two grandchildren, Jacob Joseph Dupre and Annica Eleni Dupre.

He was a member of St. George Greek Orthodox Church. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

Donations in Steve's name may be made to Community Nurse Home Care, 62 Center Street, P.O. Box 751 Fairhaven, MA 02719 or the Fort Taber Military Museum, 1000C Rodney French Boulevard, New Bedford, MA 02744. For online guestbook, visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Edward F. Alves Sr. passed away unexpectedly on Friday December 4, 2020 at Tobey hospital in Wareham. He was born in New Bedford two loving parents Bernadette McQuade Alves and Edward Louis Alves on December 27, 1950. He is survived by his wife Lynette and three sons, Edward F. Alves II of New Hampshire, Robert G. Alves and grandson Robert E.

Alves of Connecticut, and Mark Moore and wife Carolyn and grandchildren Audrey, Jacqueline, and Ryan of Braintree.

Edward is also survived by his four siblings, Catherine Clark and husband Dan of New Hampshire, Joseph Alves and wife Judy of Virginia, John Alves and wife Diane of Dartmouth, Paul Alves and wife Janet of North Carolina, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Edward graduated from New Bedford Vocational High School with a degree in welding in 1969 and then enlisted in the United States Navy in 1970. Responsible for the maintenance of DC3 cargo planes during the Vietnam War, he was promoted to Aircraft Mechanic Captain in charge of flight crews responsible for the maintenance and welfare of these aircraft. He was recognized for his service by receiving the National Defense Service Medal and an honorable discharge from the US Navy on April 29, 1975.

A lifelong resident of Mattapoisett, Edward adored his family. He was quick to lend a helping hand and perhaps more so, to share his sense of humor to lighten the mood and raise our spirits. His kindness, generosity, and quick wit that defined his character will certainly be missed by all who knew and loved him.

A private funeral service with military honors will be held at the Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne on June 4, 2021.

Rest in peace Eddie.



Charles Evans Bascom died peacefully in Tucson on March 29th, 2021 at the age of 79 as the gorgeous full moon was setting. His last days were spent at home surrounded by loving caregivers, friends and family.

Charlie was fascinated with all things to do with the sky, be it celestial navigation or pyrotechnics. There was no holiday or event that couldn't be enhanced by a few fireworks. He was a collector of marine instruments, tools, friends, experiences, blues albums, scraps of unused paper – you might call him a hoarder. He was a tinkerer and a fixer – had more tools than most and knew how to use them all. And, he was a great cook. He loved to travel and was intrepid when attempting to speak a foreign language or learn to cook an unfamiliar cuisine.

Charlie was most comfortable at sea – unfortunately he married a landlubber but she did try. He loved “messaging about in boats” – rigging, chartering, cruising, and inviting friends on an “adventure” (you know who you are!). He loved to amuse people with his very dry, subtle and often off-the-wall sense of humor. He was a wild and crazy dancer with a style all his own – very hard to follow but definitely enthusiastic! He could spend hours listening to B.B. King and Chuck Berry. He was always ready to recite Eskimo Nell – a “poem” in the style, if not the content, of Robert Service. Then there were the movie and murder mystery parties, scavenger hunts and sleep overs – the early years in Marion.

Cozy and comfortable was his style. A night by the fireplace with his friends and his dogs was his idea of heaven. Totally non-judgmental, empathic and a little quirky, he was a gentle man and a gentleman. Charlie met his personal challenges with grace and good humor.

Charlie was born in St. Louis MO to Elizabeth Evans

Machacam Meeting Rescheduled

The June Machacam Meeting has been rescheduled to Wednesday, **July 7**. The meeting will be held at the Legion Hall on Depot Street. Social time begins at 5:00 pm with dinner beginning at 6:00 pm. Callers, please report your lists by noon on Monday, July 5, to 508-758-1326 or cwmccullough@comcast.net. New Members always welcome. Please contact Chuck.

Elizabeth Taber Library

Summer at the Elizabeth Taber Library kicks off June 14.

Tales and Tails summer reading program! Sign up at the Elizabeth Taber Library to receive a Reading Buddy Kit that comes with a reading log and a surprise mini zoo animal reading buddy. Sign up begins **June 14**.

Play with our rotating collection of lawn games every day on the library lawn, starting at 10:00 am on **June 14**: Disc golf, bag toss, Kan Jam, oversized board

games, giant Legos, obstacle courses, and much more. Free coffee and juice in the reading circle on Friday mornings from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm.

June 26 & July 17, 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm: A visit from the artMobile! The New Bedford Art Museum's artMobile will arrive at the library with art projects inspired by the Ruth E. Carter exhibit "Uncommon Threads." Explore fashion and costume design with the artMobile crew. This is a drop-in event at the library for all ages.

June 28, 2:00 pm at the Marion Bandstand: Rockabye Beats Interactive Children's Concert. Join us for our Summer Reading Kickoff event! Performers from Rockabye Beats mix singing, dancing, a celebration of musical instruments, and a healthy dose of silliness for a unique concert experience! Grab your own rhythm instrument and jam along! This event is sponsored by the Marion Cultural Council.

July 8, 1:00 pm: A visit from the Pine Meadows Children Zoo! The Pine Meadows Alpaca Farm is visiting

OBITUARIES

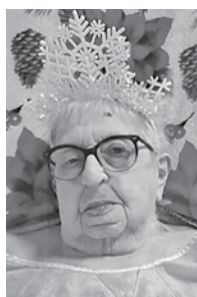
Bascom and Joseph Holliday Bascom in 1941. He graduated from Brooks School where he met a wonderful group of life-long friends and had many nonacademic adventures – rewiring the school and riding to class backwards on his bike, for instance. Charlie also served on the Brooks School board from 2004-2015. He graduated from Boston University in 1964 and got his MBA from Columbia University in 1971. He served in the Massachusetts Army National Guard from 1965 to 1970. In 1970, he married Christina Mitchell Bascom. They moved to Marion MA in 1971 and in recent years, divided their time between Marion and Tucson AZ.

Charlie was an early adopter of computers and loved to write software. After Columbia, Charlie worked for Raytheon Technologies Corporation in Washington D.C. and later for Environmental Devices Corporation in Marion, MA. He developed software for boatyards and founded Quadrant Corporation and WatchCaptain LLC. He was President of the Rotch Jones Duff House board and on the New Bedford Whaling Museum board and very active philanthropically in the New Bedford area. He was also a founding board member of the Marion Bermuda Race and the Marion Antiques Show.

Charlie is survived by his wife, Christina, and his sister, Constance Bascom McPheeters and her children and families - Alex and Jennie McPheeters, Lizzy and Dave Rickard and Katherine McPheeters.

Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to: Community Boating Center of New Bedford 1641 Padanaram Avenue.

If you have a notice you would like to have included in the Obituaries section, please contact our office at: 508 758-9055, or by email at office@wanderer.com.



Beatrice M. (Antoune) Gregory, 92, of Mattapoisett died Saturday, May 29, 2021 at Our Lady's Haven after a long, courageous battle with scoliosis and other health problems. She was the wife of Donald J. Gregory, with whom she shared 67 years of marriage.

Born and raised in New Bedford, she was the daughter of the late George and Bessie (Neckles) Antoune. She lived in Mattapoisett for many years.

Beatrice was formerly employed as a stitcher and retired from the former Colonial Textile Company.

She was a member of Worldwide Marriage Encounter.

Beatrice enjoyed cooking, watching her favorite soap operas, big band music, dancing at Roseland Ballroom and the former Lincoln Park Ballroom, and spending time with dear friends. She also enjoyed celebrating holidays and birthdays with the Boissonneau family, who were very special and dear to her.

She is survived by her loving husband, Donald; two dear sisters-in-law, Joann Rocha, and Rosemarie Gon-salves; and several nieces and nephews, and great-nieces and great-nephews.

Her funeral was held on Wednesday, June 2, 2021 at 9 am from the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Mattapoisett, followed by her Funeral Mass at St. Anthony's Church, Mattapoisett at 10 am. Burial will follow in St. Anthony's Cemetery. Visiting hours were held Tuesday, June 1, 2021. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to Our Lady's Haven, 71 Center St., Fairhaven, MA 02719. For guestbook, visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



MOVIE REVIEW

Elders Buried

By Rob Gonsalves
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***The Amusement Park* (1973). Starring Lincoln Maazel and Harry Albacker. Directed by George A. Romero. Running time: 54 minutes. Streaming on Shudder starting June 8.**

The prospect of a “lost film” from George A. Romero (1940-2017), director of *Night of the Living Dead* and its several sequels, may sound as compelling to you as it did to me. A word of warning, though: don’t let anyone overhype it for you. *The Amusement Park*, completed in 1973 but unseen until recently (it will have its streaming debut on Shudder next week), is a downer of an allegory about discrimination against the elderly. Romero, at loose ends at the time, was hired by the Lutheran Society to make the film, which they promptly rejected after getting a load of what Romero did with the concept. There are no zombies or cannibalism, though, just a stroll through a strange amusement park filled with indignities for those deemed too old — or too poor — to deserve respect.

Romero was many things, but a subtle satirist was never one of them. Some of the messagey dialogue in some of his *Dead* films verges on crude. In *The Amusement Park*, we follow a man in his seventies (played by Lincoln Maazel, who later appeared as the nosferatu-obsessed old cousin in Romero’s 1976 cult vampire movie *Martin*) as he wanders around the park and encounters various affronts to his humanity. These range from getting beaten up by a trio of bikers to being disregarded by a little girl he was reading a story to; we get the sense that the girl’s indifference hurts him more. The man is also ignored by doctors and priests (who close up their “sanctuary” to him as soon as he approaches). All of these anecdotes feel a bit like checklist items; Romero seems somewhat locked into the Lutherans’ assignment, toning himself down for their approval (which he didn’t get anyway).

Still, this curiosity should be seen by fans who tend to prefer Romero’s non-zombie films, like *Martin* or *Jack’s Wife* (aka *Season of the Witch*) or *Knightriders*. Its cinematography (by Bill Hinzman, the cemetery zombie in the first reel of *Night of the Living Dead*) and typically razor-sharp editing (by Romero himself) make *The Amusement Park* a pure-cinema snack; it’s



the content itself (written by Wally Cook) that flirts with redundancy at times. The milieu and the theme of being neglected — not *seen* or acknowledged — echo Herk Harvey’s *Carnival of Souls*, a cult z-budget item that predated Romero’s *NOTLD* by six years. Did Romero, thirty-three at the time and visible in the film as an irate bumper-car driver, care all that much about ageism, or was he just doing the best he could with the gig he got? Either way, we feel for Maazel’s character, who starts out as a white-suited dandy and ends up soiled and bloodied; he either experiences or witnesses every example of disrespect in the film. Life as an elderly person — and, let’s not forget, an elderly person of color, or an elderly disabled person, or an elderly woman — is painted here as a steady stream of insults and gatekeeping slights. A good deal of the doors that shut here in the faces of those who aren’t young, white, male, and/or rich persist just as thick and soundly locked today.

Which brings me back to my advice not to let your expectations get out of hand. Sometimes early work drifts off into the ether for a reason. Who, having finally screened Stanley Kubrick’s first feature *Fear and Desire*, would argue with Kubrick that it isn’t, as he said, juvenilia? And good luck sitting through Tobe Hooper’s *Eggshells* — his debut prior to *Texas Chainsaw Massacre* — unless you’re a die-hard completist. *The Amusement Park* displays Romero’s flair for cloaking social comment in nightmarish clothes. It’s of considerable interest to anyone who cares about his work. But to call it Romero’s “most terrifying film,” as his widow Suzanne Desrosier has — an assessment prominent in the film’s publicity — is to set it up for disappointment. Terrifying, no. Disturbing — and fascinating — yes.



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the library with their animal friends; meet alpacas, goats, bearded dragon, tortoises, chinchilla, rabbits and more! Event will take place at the library.

July 13, 6:30 pm: Mandala workshop with author and artist Dannie Engwert. The author of "Good Grief" celebrates joy through art. Design your own found object mandalas and take home a photographic keepsake of your creations. This is an outdoor program at the library for teens and adults.

July 20, 1:00 pm: Flying High Dogs. Mike Piazza and his performing border collies visit the library for a high-flying frisbee spectacular! The Flying High Frisbee dog show is interactive, dynamic, and fun – guaranteed to entertain and thrill crowds of all ages! Event held outdoors at the library.

More activities to be announced throughout the summer; Check out our website and Facebook page for updates.

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From the Files of the Rochester Historical Society By Connie Eshbach

This past weekend as people drove into Rochester Center from Marion Road or Mary's Pond Road, they no doubt noticed the flags placed around the Rochester Honor Roll. The names of those who served their country from World War I through the wars that followed are there. There is also another plaque for the man for whom the once Rochester Square was renamed.

Calvin Daggett was born in 1924. In 1942, he married Rochester native Palmeda Arruda and settled in

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TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights May 23-May 29

- Front St – Suspicious MV/citation
- Front St – 911 abandoned
- Delano Rd – Health/welfare
- Converse Rd – EMS/medical
- Emil's Way – EMS/medical
- Wareham Rd – Suspicious MV
- Village Dr – EMS/medical
- Maple Ave – MV collision
- Lewis St – EMS/medical
- Wareham Rd – Incapacitated person
- Spring St – Health/welfare
- Seahorse Way - Medical
- Front St – Suspicious MV
- Wareham Rd – Road hazard
- Pumping Station Rd – MV collision
- Village Dr – Officer wanted
- Hathaway St – EMS/medical
- Wareham Rd – Lost property
- Point Rd – Suspicious activity
- Marvel St – Follow up investigation
- Rocky Knook Ln – Emergency services
- Wareham Rd – MV collision
- Front St – Parking enforcement
- Brigg's Ter – EMS/medical
- Front St – MV collision
- Mill St – Officer wanted
- Marion Rd – Assist other dept
- Cove Cir – Officer wanted
- Point Rd – Parking enforcement

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights May 23-May 29

- Baptist St – 911 abandoned
- Water St – 911 abandoned
- Hawthorne St - Harassment service
- North St – MV violations
- Barstow St – Animal control
- Shaw St - Assault
- Church St – MV lockout
- Meadowbrook Ln – Follow up
- Neds Point Rd – MV crash
- Marion Rd - Complaint
- Fairhaven Rd - Disturbance
- Oliver St – Animal complaint
- County Rd - Arrest
- Marion Rd – Suspicious persons
- Neds Point Rd - Vandalism
- Barstow St assault
- Brandt Island Rd – Medical assist
- Fairhaven Rd – Assist other agency
- Park St – Health/welfare
- Baptist St - Fraud
- Ocean Dr – 911 call
- County Rd – Health/welfare
- Prospect Rd – 911 call
- Aucoot Rd - Disturbance
- Fairhaven Rd – MV crash
- Marion Rd – MV crash
- Fairhaven Rd – Health/welfare
- Church St – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd – Unwanted person

ROCHESTER

Log highlights May 23-May 29

- North Ave – MV stop/citation
- Cranberry Hwy – MV stop/citation
- Ryder Rd - Medical
- North Ave - Medical
- Dexter Ln – Assist citizen
- Walnut Plain Rd - Medical
- Pine St – Assist other agency
- Stevens Rd – Suspicious activity
- North Ave – General services/arrest
- Gerrish Rd – Assist other agency
- New Bedford Rd – 911 call
- Quaker Ln - Medical
- Dexter Ln – Erratic MV/towed
- Alley Rd - Medical
- Dexter Ln – Message delivery
- New Bedford Rd – Firearms licensing
- Stevens Rd - Medical
- Walnut Plain Rd – Animal control
- Cushman Rd – Animal control
- North Ave - Medical
- Marion Rd – 911 call
- New Bedford Rd – Public assist
- Negus Way – Suspicious activity
- Pine St - Medical
- New Bedford Rd – Suspicious activity
- Marion Rd - Burglary
- Marion Rd – Road hazard
- Cranberry Hwy – MV collision
- Stevens Rd - Disturbance

For a full PDF of the three towns' police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.



REGIONAL LUNCH MENUS

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, June 7: Broccoli & cheese omelet, hash browns, peppers & onions, fruit loaf, apple sauce

Tuesday, June 8: Chicken bruschetta, orzo spinach pasta, Tahitian vegetables, oatmeal bread, banana

Wednesday, June 9: Meatloaf w/gravy, Lyonnais potatoes, mixed vegetables, wheat bread, brownie, diet: graham wafer

Thursday, June 10: Roast turkey w/rosemary gravy, cranberry sauce (2), mashed potatoes, winter squash, multigrain bread, pears

Friday, June 11: Sausage w/peppers & onions, pasta alfredo, sub roll, peaches

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, June 7: Ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, potato puffs, veggie sticks, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Tuesday, June 8: Asian chicken & rice bowl, steamed broccoli, cookie, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Wednesday, June 9: Whole grain pancakes, maple syrup, hash brown, crazy carrots, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Thursday, June 10: Grilled chicken parmesan on roll, oven roasted French fries, mixed

vegetables, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Friday, June 11: Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, garden salad, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, June 7: Ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, potato puffs, veggie sticks, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Tuesday, June 8: Asian chicken & rice bowl, steamed broccoli, cookie, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Wednesday, June 9: Whole grain pancakes, maple syrup, hash brown, crazy carrots, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Thursday, June 10: Grilled chicken parmesan on roll, oven roasted French fries, mixed vegetables, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Friday, June 11: Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, garden salad, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, June 7: No lunch – early release

Tuesday, June 8: Asian chicken & rice bowl, steamed broccoli, cookie, assorted fresh fruit,

1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Wednesday, June 9: Whole grain pancakes, maple syrup, hash brown, crazy carrots, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Thursday, June 10: Grilled chicken parmesan on roll, oven roasted French fries, mixed vegetables, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Friday, June 11: Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, garden salad, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, June 7: Ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, potato puffs, veggie sticks, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Tuesday, June 8: Asian chicken & rice bowl, steamed broccoli, cookie, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Wednesday, June 9: Whole grain pancakes, maple syrup, hash brown, crazy carrots, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

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Friday, June 11: Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, garden salad, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk

(OR) PB&J fun lunch

SIPPICAN SCHOOL

Monday, June 7: Ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, potato puffs, veggie sticks, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Tuesday, June 8: Asian chicken & rice bowl, steamed broccoli, cookie, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

Wednesday, June 9: Whole grain pancakes, maple syrup, hash brown, crazy carrots, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

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Friday, June 11: Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, garden salad, assorted fresh fruit, 1% milk (OR) PB&J fun lunch

OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, June 7: Taco's, salsa, cheese, lettuce, tomato, corn & black beans in a taco Shell or over Rice

Tuesday, June 8: Chicken nuggets, fries & bread

Wednesday, June 9: Assorted meals

Thursday, June 10: Assorted meals

Friday, June 11: Assorted pizza

her town. Calvin, better known as Cal, was a master craftsman – a carpenter, cabinetmaker, and building contractor. He was a busy man, serving on the town finance committee and fire department, as well as being a lay preacher at the North Rochester Church. He was also the guitarist, master of ceremonies, and “gig-getter” for the Woodchoppers, a Rochester musical group.



However, what Cal is best remembered for is the dedication he showed to Boy Scout Troop 31 as their founder and leader for over 30 years. Beyond leading the troop and keeping his scouts busy and engaged, he was there to listen and help with any problems they might have faced. He also gave up a week of work every year to make it possible for the boys to attend summer camp.

After his unexpected death at the age of 55 in July of 1980, his loss was felt throughout the town. By September 21, just two and a half months after his death, friends and scouts, both current and former, had raised the money needed for a stone and plaque to honor him. At the dedication of the memorial, the square received its new name, “Calvin R. Daggett Square.” In addition, the 1980 annual town report was dedicated to him after a request to the selectmen from the Rochester Boy Scout Committee. Under his picture in the town report is this quotation: “The town as a whole and we as individuals are richer for having had Calvin Daggett among us.”

Art in Bloom at the Marion Art Center

The Marion Art Center is pleased to announce the return of Art in Bloom, **June 24-26**. The MAC will host several events over the three-day period. Anyone

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Red, white, and blue was Sharon Doyon's vision of the Mattapoisett Woman's Club Garden Group as 18 members gathered at the library to plant on May 26 in areas including the pots at the Mattapoisett Historical Society and Town Hall, window boxes at the post office and Town Beach house, the lighthouse garden at the harbor, plus the gardens and planters at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library. Sandy Hering kept the group focused while members had fun digging in the dirt and planting more than 200 plants inside of two hours. New to the group this year were: Maureen Kelly, Bethany (and Leo) Couto, Ruth Ann Walega, Carole Clifford, Judy Sullivan, and Lois Gallant. Photos courtesy of Sandy Hering and Cindy Turse



George and Papa Dan chillin' on a spring day in Mattapoisett. Photo by Daniel Lucas




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is invited to create an arrangement for Art in Bloom, and designers may work in pairs or teams. Designers may use any available MAC pedestals for displaying arrangements but are invited to bring their own unique stand of appropriate size and height. Selection of artwork to pair with arrangements will begin on Saturday, **June 5**, starting at 10:00 am, giving designers almost three weeks to prepare. Artistic floral arrangements will remain on display from Thursday, **June 24**, at 12:00 pm through Saturday, **June 26**, at 2:00 pm.




Join a watercolor painting workshop on Thursday, **June 24**, from 10:00 am – 12:30 pm with artist Patricia White. The cost is \$50 for MAC members and \$60 for nonmembers. Each participant will create a beautiful watercolor painting inspired by a still life floral arrangement.

On Thursday, **June 24**, from 6:00 pm – 8:00pm, attend the opening night viewing at the MAC to see creative floral arrangements inspired by the art of



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The Town of Marion held its Memorial Day Ceremony 2021 on May 31 at Old Landing, officiated by Major Andrew Bonney of the United States Air Force and featuring keynote speaker Dr. Steven L. Pierce of the College of Distance Education at the U.S. Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island. Photos by Mick Colageo



The Florence Eastman Post 280 of the American Legion held Memorial Day observances at the war memorials located on the Mattapoissett Library grounds. Photos by Marilou Newell



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Willoughby Elliott, a retrospective of work on display in the MAC galleries. During the June 24 reception, guests can purchase a small bouquet or stems from the David Gregory Flower Cart, a mobile flower shop that will be on site at the MAC.

On Friday, **June 25**, the Marion Garden Group presents "Secret Gardens of Marion," a tour of eight stunning gardens in Marion. Tickets for the tour are just \$35 and can be purchased online at mariongardengroup.org/gardentour21.

On Saturday, **June 26**, from 10:00 am – 11:30 am, the MAC will host Lisa Larkin and Lisa Tovin, founders of L2 Florals, for a Fresh Blossoms and Foraged Materials Workshop. The cost is \$40 for MAC members and \$50 for nonmembers, plus a \$30 materials fee. Materials provided include a five-inch vase, blossoms, and branching materials, and floral scissors will be available for loan or purchase.

Get yourself in the gardening mood by attending an outdoor play in June. Tickets are now on sale for "Native Gardens," opening **June 11** in Bicentennial Park. Six shows run over two weekends, **June 11-20**. All Friday and Saturday shows begin at 6:00 pm, and Sunday matinees begin at 2:00 pm. Tickets are just \$18 for MAC members and \$20 for nonmembers. Purchase online at marionartcenter.org/events/native-gardens.

For more information about all the floral fun to be had at the Marion Art Center, or to register for events



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22 Year, in Portugal
23 Start of a riddle
25 Security datum
27 Cockpit guess, briefly
28 Math calculation
29 Woolen cloth
31 Many a roof edge
32 Riddle, part 2
38 Costume part, perhaps
39 Future jr.
40 Maine college town
41 Riddle, part 3
50 Debt slip

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52 Home of the Bay of Pigs
53 Mr. America's pride
56 Sensed
60 Great serves
61 It has limbs
62 Bit of a lot
63 Cow catcher
66 Diner dish
68 Riddle, part 4
73 Home of Ikea
74 Virtual bread?
75 Elliptical
76 Like saints
77 Not had by
79 Turns away
84 With
85-Down, totally ready
85 Mrs., in Berlin
86 SOS signals
89 "So cool!"
90 Riddle, part 5
95 "Heidi" author Johanna
98 A juror takes one
99 Corn-on-the-cob unit
100 End of the riddle
109 Intro studio class

- 110 "— Gold" (Fonda film)
111 Author Sarah — Jewett
112 Gun rights org.
114 Stunning with a gun
116 Riddle's answer
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123 Everything, in Latin
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125 Decimal base
126 New York City river
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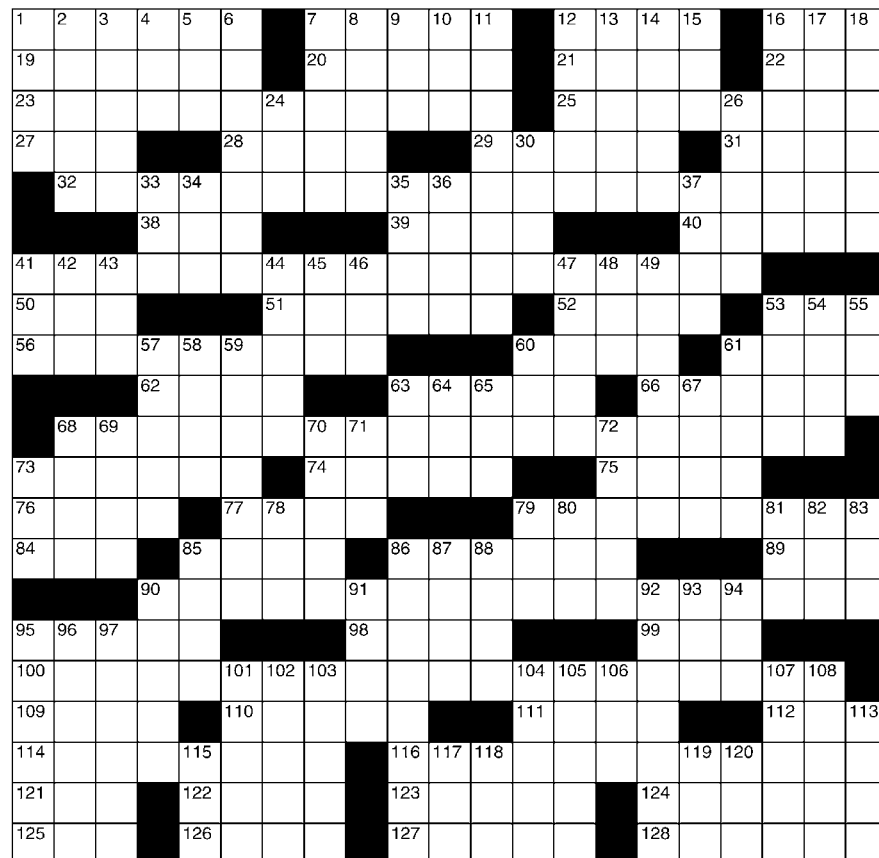
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8 Best players
9 Bad dog

- 10 Exalting poem
11 Really criticize
12 The Little Mermaid
13 Moist, as grass
14 GI's time off
15 Clerk at TV's Kwik-E-Mart
16 Actor Antonio — Jr.
17 Asymmetric
18 Oscar winner Rita
24 Laundry room brand
26 London length unit
30 Actor Ken
33 "Oh, gross!"
34 LI doubled
35 Even — speak
36 Score unit
37 Itty-bitty bit
41 Little drink
42 Bladed tool
43 "They're playing — song"

- 44 Courtroom mallet
45 Go hastily
46 Dated
47 Razor-inventing
48 Chalked stick
49 Remit, as sins
53 Musician Guthrie
54 Bone to pick
55 See
84-Across
57 Tea box
58 Latin "Lo!"
59 Mined find
60 Year- — glance
61 Green car?
63 Zenith rival
64 "TGIF" part
65 Hearth residue
67 Spiteful
68 Like a missing GI
69 Tony winner Carter
70 Subside
71 Start for friendly
72 Aplomb
73 "Na Na" lead-in
78 Scott's refusal
79 Bible boat
80 Tripod part
81 As well
82 Really long time
83 Hen or nanny
85 Govt. money guarantor
86 It lacks a heel

- 87 Wood strip
88 Throb
90 Shaw of jazz
91 Presage
92 Ration
93 Mineo of films
94 Three, in Rome
95 Try to hit, as a gnat
96 Coined thing
97 China's Sun —
101 Mystical board
102 Lower arm bones
103 Kosher
104 Like plow-pulling oxen
105 Lock of hair
106 Neither Rep. nor Dem.
107 Many a bellybutton
108 Lovers' meeting
113 Firefighters' tools
115 Sushi eggs
117 "Can u believe it!"
118 — roll (lucky)
119 Nashville-to-Chicago dir.
120 Have debts



SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Although you would prefer to move forward at a steady pace, it might be a good idea to stop and reassess your plans. You could find a good reason to make a change at this time.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Just when you thought you had everything planned to the smallest detail, you get some news that could unsettle things. But a timely explanation helps put it all back on track.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Home and work continue to compete for your attention. But you handle it well by giving each its proper due. Someone you trust offers valuable advice. Listen to it.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Unsettling news creates a difficult but not impossible situation. Continue to follow your planned routine, but keep your mind open to a possible change down the line.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Lick your wounded pride if you like, but it's a better idea to find out why your suggestions were rejected. What you learn could help you deal with an upcoming situation.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Feeling a bit listless? No wonder. You might be pushing too hard to finish everything on your to-do list. Cutting it down could help get your energy levels up.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Taking time out of your busy schedule might be the best way to handle that sensitive private matter. It will help reassure everyone involved about your priorities.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Insist on full disclosure by all parties before agreeing to be part of a "great deal." What you learn should help you decide whether to go with it or not.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your decision to protect the secret that was entrusted to you might irk some people. But it also wins you the admiration of those who value trust and loyalty.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Creative activities take on a practical approach as you realize you might be able to market your work. Ask for advice from someone experienced in this area.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) If you're suddenly a bit unsure about your decision, ask trusted colleagues and/or friends or family members for suggestions that could help resolve your doubts.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A workplace situation could get stormy. But stay on course until there's a solution that meets with everyone's approval, and things finally can calm down.

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The Elizabeth Taber Library is now open to visitors Monday-Saturday; no appointment necessary. Please check out our website for a full listing of our hours and available services at www.ElizabethTaberLibrary.org.

Kids Brotherhood Ride

There will be a Kids Brotherhood Ride on **June 12** at Old Colony Voc Tech from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. We will be riding our bikes around Old Colony honoring our fallen first responders in Southern New England. It will be a day of fun riding our bikes, hot dogs, music, games, raffles, jumpy houses, fire trucks, and so much more. Register at www.bikereg/snebhr.

Midsummer Stages

The Marion Art Center is pleased to announce Midsummer Stages, a new youth summer theatre. Sign-ups are open now. Culminating in an outdoor performance of A Midsummer Night's Dream, this esteem-building program is based in yoga, mindfulness, and theatre games, and it is for experienced actors as well as newbies looking to have fun, grow confidence, make friends, and rehearse and perform a play like a professional company.

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Information and registration is at Marionartcenter.org/midsummer-stages; Video: vimeo.com/542675463?ref=em-share.

Instructors will be Jacob Sherburne, who has an MFA in Acting, Actor's Equity, and is a sixth grade English Teacher, and Elke Pierre, founder of the Marion Yoga Loft.

Glorious Gardens

In celebration of their 80th Anniversary, the Mattapoisett Woman's Club announces a celebratory garden tour, Glorious Gardens, on Saturday, **June 26**, from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, rain or shine. The public is invited to view seven fabulous gardens selected for a variety of



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<p>ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS MARION ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (Project # 2021-1)</p> <p>Sealed bids for construction of the Marion Roadway Improvements Project will be received by the Board of Selectmen at the Marion Town House – Board of Selectman's Office, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts 02738 until 3:00 pm prevailing time, Tuesday June 15, 2021. Bids submitted after this time will not be accepted. Bids will be opened and publicly read aloud at 11:00 am prevailing time, Wednesday, June 16, 2021 at the Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street, Marion Massachusetts 02738.</p> <p>The Bid opening will be open to the public. Face masks will be required and social distancing will be enforced during bid openings.</p> <p>All bidders will be notified of the apparent low bidder. All bidding procedures will be in accordance with the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30, Section 39M inclusive as amended.</p> <p>The work under this Contract consists of pavement improvements in the Town of Marion. The limits of work include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Street – Allen St to South St (1900' of overlay) • Holmes Street – Pleasant St to Water St (2300' of overlay) • School Street (440' of mill and overlay) • Parlowtown Road (1100' of overlay) • Pavement repair at 362 Front Street (mill and overlay) <p>The work includes furnishing all labor, materials, tools and equipment and incidentals required to establish a work zone, maintain traffic and detours, installing hot mix asphalt overlay, asphalt pavement milling, saw cutting, sweeping, loam and seed, and other incidental work.</p> <p>There will be no pre-bid conference. Questions and comments shall be completed in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.</p> <p>The Project value is estimated to be \$300,000. Prevailing Wages, as determined under M.G.L. c. 149, § 26-27H shall apply on this project. Materials, equipment and supplies used on this project are exempt from sales tax to the extent provided by M.G.L. c. 64H, § 6(f). The Project is expected to commence on or about July 12, 2021 and be completed no later than September 3, 2021. Time is of the essence for the completion of this project.</p> <p>Bid Documents, including Details and Specifications for the proposed work, may be downloaded online, on and after May 19, 2021. To obtain copies of the plans and specifications go to Public Jobs :: Accent Blueprints Online Planroom (https://www.accentblueprints.com/jobs/public). The project will be listed as Town of Marion – Marion Roadway Improvements Project. Downloading plans and specifications is free. You will be charged if you require prints.</p> <p>Bidders shall be pre-qualified by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation. Only bidders pre-qualified by MassDOT may receive an official proposal format of the bidding documents. Official forms for Prequalification can be found at: https://www.mass.gov/prequalification-of-horizontal-construction-firms.</p> <p>Bid Deposits shall be submitted in the amount of 5% of the bid price including any alternates. The Bid Deposit shall be made payable</p>	<p>to the Town of Marion and shall be in the form of a bid bond issued by a surety licensed to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and shall be conditioned upon the faithful performance by the principal of the agreement contained in the bid. The Town of Marion reserves the right to reject or approve a surety. The Bid Deposits of the three (3) lowest responsible and eligible bidders shall be retained until the execution and delivery of the Contract.</p> <p>The contract will be awarded to the bidder deemed by the Town of Marion to be the lowest responsible and eligible bidder. Selection of the successful bidder will be based upon bidder qualifications, including evidence of past performance on similar projects and bid price. The Contract award is be subject to the availability of funding.</p> <p>The successful general bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Labor and Materials Bond, each of which shall be in the amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price.</p> <p>The Town of Marion reserves the right to reject any bid which, in its judgment, fails to meet the requirements of this Advertisement for Bids or which is incomplete, conditional, or obscure, or which contains additions or irregularities, or in which errors occur in addition to the foregoing. The Town of Marion also reserves the right to reject any and all proposals if it deems such rejection(s) to be in the best interest of the Town. The Town of Marion further reserves the right to waive any minor discrepancies or informalities, to permit a bidder to clarify discrepancies or to conduct discussions with all qualified bidders in any manner necessary to serve the best interests of the Town. Any fees or other expenses of the bidders associated with this Advertisement for Bid process are solely the responsibility of the bidders.</p> <p>No bidder may withdraw its bid within sixty (60) days (Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays excluded) after the date designated above for the opening of the bids. Any bid submitted will be binding for sixty (60) days after the time of bid opening.</p> <p>All questions and correspondence in connection with this Project should be made via email only to both the Marion Engineering Manager, Meghan Davis, at mdavis@marionma.gov and Scott D'Amelio, P.E. at sdamelio@vnb.com.</p> <p>The Town of Marion is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer and encourages participation from certified minority and women-owned businesses in this Advertisement for Bid. The target goals of five percent (5%) for MBE and five percent (5%) for WBE are to be attained, where possible, by the General Contractor. The successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or any other basis prohibited by law.</p> <p>Each bidder shall visit the site of the proposed work and shall fully acquaint himself with the conditions as they exist and shall also thoroughly examine the contract documents. Failure of bidder to visit the site and acquaint himself with the contract documents shall in no way relieve the bidder from any obligation with respect to his bid. 5/20, 5/27, 6/3, 6/10</p>	<p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Monday June 21, 2021 at 7:15 pm on the matter of removal of certain trees due to their poor condition in the following locations:</p> <p>16 Church Street 17 Prospect Road</p> <p>The public is invited to make comment on the matter of removing these trees, to join the Public Hearing, go to the Town of Mattapoisett Web Page click on Planning Board Meeting, and then click the Zoom Meeting Link posted on the agenda for June 21st, 2021 at 7pm.</p> <p>Questions please call 508-758-4100 Ext. 215. 6/3, 6/10</p> <p>-----</p> <p>TOWN OF MARION SELECT BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Marion Select Board will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 6:15 pm in the Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street, Marion, to consider the request of Mike Achilles for an entertainment license at The Mary Celeste, 7 Cottage Street. Information regarding the request is available for review at the office of the Select Board, Two Spring Street, Marion. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 6/3, 6/10 Board of Selectmen</p> <p>-----</p> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, June 14, 2021 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Stephen Randon, 26 Commonwealth Avenue, W. Bridgewater, MA 02379. The proposed project is to construct a single-family dwelling with attached garage and associated driveway, grading, and utilities. A portion of the house and grading are within the 100 foot buffer zone to a cranberry bog.</p> <p>The project is located at 0 Randall Road and is further identified as Lot 70 on Assessor Map 23. 6/3</p> <p>-----</p> <p>TOWN OF MARION WATER DEPARTMENT ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS</p> <p>The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Marion shall receive bids at the Marion Town House – Board of Selectmen's Office, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts 02738 for furnishing chemicals and supplies to Marion Water Department for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022, until 2:00 pm. prevailing time, Thursday, June 17, 2021. Bids submitted after this time will not be accepted. Bids will be opened and publicly read aloud at 2:30 pm prevailing time, Thursday, June 17, 2021 at the Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street, Marion, Massachusetts 02738. The chemicals and supplies to be furnished consist of the following items:</p> <p>A. 45% Potassium Hydroxide B. Sodium Silicate ('N' Brand) C. Liquid Propane</p> <p>The bid opening will be open to the public. Face masks will be required and social</p>

gardening styles. Inspirations await the attendees who visit the various gardens – from formal to informal, woodsy to cottage, seaside to secluded. The gardens will highlight the use of annuals, perennials, vegetables, herbs, shrubs, trees, and beautiful container plantings.

Advance tickets are \$25 each and will be available at the following locations: In Fairhaven, Periwinkles and Gotta Have It; in Marion, Always in Bloom and Eden Florist & Garden Shop; in Mattapoisett, Isabelle's, Pen & Pendulum, Town Wharf General Store, and Ying Dynasty. Tickets may also be purchased online using the PayPal button on the Mattapoisett Woman's Club website, www.mattapoisettwomansclub.org.

Tickets purchased on the day of the tour will be \$30 and only available at the Mattapoisett Woman's Club Garden Tour tent in the parking lot next to Ying Dynasty, 24 County Road, Mattapoisett.

All ticketholders must pick up the map for the self-guided tour at the MWC tent on June 26. No maps will be available before that date.

The proceeds of the garden tour will benefit the

Mattapoisett Woman's Club Scholarship Fund.

The Mattapoisett Woman's Club is always open to new members from the South Coast area. For more information and a membership application, please see the Club's website at www.mattapoisettwomansclub.org/members.

The Massachusetts COVID-19 guidelines will be followed throughout the tour.

Garden Groomers are Back

Do you enjoy sunshine, salt air, and harbor views? If so, please join the Mattapoisett Land Trust's Garden Groomers! We meet at Munro Preserve (just west of the Town Wharves) at 8:00 am each Wednesday morning to pull weeds and do light garden maintenance while enjoying the sunshine and a cup of coffee. Join us any Wednesday morning, or email us at info@matlandtrust.org.

Willoughby Elliott Retrospective at the MAC

The Marion Art Center is pleased to announce its

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<p>distancing will be enforced during the bid opening. Copies of the Bidding Documents, including Bid Forms, may be obtained electronically through Tata & Howard, Inc. by contacting Mitchell Garon at mgaron@tataandhoward.com. A Bidder may submit a bid on a single item or any combination of the items. All bids shall be submitted on the Bid Forms furnished and in accordance with the instructions on the Bid Forms.</p> <p>All bids shall be sealed in an envelope which is clearly marked in the lower left hand corner "Marion Water Department Bid for Fiscal Year 2022 Chemicals and Supplies". Bids may be mailed to the Town of Marion Board of Selectmen's Office, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts 02738. The bidder assumes all responsibility for the bids arriving in time for the bid deadline.</p> <p>All bids will remain subject to acceptance by the Town for thirty days after the actual date of the bid opening. The Town reserves the right to reject any and all bids if deemed to be in the best interest of the Town.</p> <p>TOWN OF MARION Mr. James McGrail, Town Administrator 2 Spring Street Marion, MA 02738 6/3</p> <p>-----</p> <p>TOWN OF MARION ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS SIPPICAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL EMERGENCY ACCESS DRIVEWAY</p> <p>All bidders will be notified of the apparent low bidder. All bidding procedures will be in accordance with the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30, Section 39M inclusive as amended.</p> <p>The work under this Contract consists of improvements in the Town of Marion. The limits of work include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Construction of the Sippican Elementary School Emergency Access Driveway <p>The contractor shall furnish all materials, labor, supervision, and equipment to perform all work shown on the plans consisting of, but</p>	<p>not limited to clearing, cutting of trees, grubbing, stumping, excavating of unsuitable material, stockpiling, filing, compacting, placement of granular fill materials, boulder removal, trenching, backfilling, compacting, pavement repair, asphalt concrete paving, curbing, pavement markings, fencing and gates, removal of playground equipment, and under drain system.</p> <p>There will be no pre-bid conference. Questions and comments shall be completed in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.</p> <p>The Project value is estimated to be \$130,000. Prevailing Wages, as determined under M.G.L. c. 149, § 26-27H shall apply on this project. Materials, equipment and supplies used on this project are exempt from sales tax to the extent provided by M.G.L. c. 64H, § 6(f). The Project is expected to commence on or about July 7, 2021 and be completed no later than September 3, 2021. Time is of the essence for the completion of this project.</p> <p>Bid Documents, including Details and Specifications for the proposed work, may be downloaded online, on and after June 2, 2021. To obtain copies of the plans and specifications go to Public Jobs:: Accent Blueprints Online Planroom (https://www.accentblueprints.com/jobs/public). The project will be listed as Town of Marion – Sippican Elementary School Emergency Access Driveway. Downloading plans and specifications is free. You will be charged if you require prints.</p> <p>Bidders shall be pre-qualified by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation. Only bidders pre-qualified by MassDOT may receive an official proposal format of the bidding documents.</p> <p>Official forms for Prequalification can be found at: https://www.mass.gov/prequalification-of-horizontal-construction-firms.</p> <p>Bid Deposits shall be submitted in the amount of 5% of the bid price including any alternates. The Bid Deposit shall be made payable to the Town of Marion and shall be in the form of a bid bond issued by a surety licensed to do business</p>	<p>in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and shall be conditioned upon the faithful performance by the principal of the agreement contained in the bid. The Town of Marion reserves the right to reject or approve a surety. The Bid Deposits of the three (3) lowest responsible and eligible bidders shall be retained until the execution and delivery of the Contract.</p> <p>The contract will be awarded to the bidder deemed by the Town of Marion to be the lowest responsible and eligible bidder. 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<p>opening.</p> <p>All questions and correspondence in connection with this Project should be made via email only to both the Marion Engineering Manager, Meghan Davis, at mdavis@marionma.gov and William F. Madden, P.E. at bill@gafenginc.com.</p> <p>The Town of Marion is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer, and encourages participation from certified minority and women-owned businesses in this Advertisement for Bid. The target goals of five percent (5%) for MBE and five percent (5%) for WBE are to be attained, where possible, by the General Contractor. The successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or any other basis prohibited by law.</p> <p>Each bidder shall visit the site of the proposed work and shall fully acquaint himself with the conditions as they exist and shall also thoroughly examine the contract documents. Failure of bidder to visit the site and acquaint himself with the contract documents shall in no way relieve the bidder from any obligation with respect to his bid. 6/3</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING #1165</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Jorge Rodriguez for property located at 12 Mayflower Lane, identified on Assessor's Map 21A, Lot 43, who is seeking a Special Permit for an addition for conversion to a multi-family dwelling, a Variance of the lot size requirement, and a Variance to allow an increase in the structure floor area to exceed 30%, under Chapter 20.40, Section F.9.a. of the Rochester Zoning By-Laws. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, June 24, 2021 at 7:00 pm on Zoom.</p> <p>To join the Zoom Meeting: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81275743646 Meeting ID: 812 7574 3646 One tap mobile: (646) 876-9923 David Arancio, Chairman 6/3, 6/10</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following Applications and Petitions. ALL meetings held in the Mattapoisett Town Hall Conference room; 16 Main Street (unless otherwise noted) New format of meetings; start time is 6:00 pm.</p> <p>**NOTE**REMOTE MEETING ON 06/17/2021 WILL START AT 6:00P.M.**</p> <p>Case #1469: Application of: William Field, 100 Mattapoisett Neck Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739; RE:100 Mattapoisett Neck Road. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under sections 5.1.5.4.3 as provided by Section 7.2.2 of the Zoning By-Laws to request permission to convert an existing part of a single-family home into a family related apartment. The property is further described as Plot 15, Lot 23 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held VIA Zoom on Thursday, June 17, 2021</p> <p>Case #1470: Application of: William</p>	<p>Langlois, 11Tupola Lane, Mattapoisett, MA 02739; RE:11Tupola Lane. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under sections 5.1.5.4.3 as provided by Section 7.2.2 of the Zoning By-Laws to request permission to build a 4X24 addition to the existing home to create a family related apartment. The property is further described as Plot 7, Lot 12 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held VIA Zoom on Thursday, June 17, 2021.</p> <p>Due to restrictions on public gatherings because of COVID-19, this meeting will be held remotely, and members of the public will NOT be allowed to physically attend. To access the meeting please use the following log in information. ZOOM MEETING ID#---956 9719 4044 Dial by your location. +1 646 876 9923 US (New York)</p> <p>Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.</p> <p>Sincerely, Susan Akin, Chairperson Mary Anne Brogan, Kenneth Pacheco, Colby Rottler, Anthony Tranfaglia 6/3, 6/10</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>To be held Remotely via Zoom: Meeting ID: 845 9188 1844; Password: 788036 Join the Online Meeting at: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84591881844 or Phone #: 1-646-558-8656</p> <p>The Marion Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday June 21, 2021 at 7:15 pm remotely via Zoom* to consider the request of Sherman E. Briggs and Hamblin Homes, Inc. to conduct a Major Site Plan Review under Section 230 – 9.1 of the Marion Zoning Bylaw and grant a Special Permit under Sections 230 – 5.3, 230 – 8.12, 230 – 8.12 L., 230 – 7.1, 230 – 7.2 of the Marion Zoning Bylaw to construct a Multi-family development with 28 Townhouse style units on 3.55 acres.</p> <p>The property is located at Spring Street near the intersection of Spring Street and Mill Street and is identified on Marion Assessor's Map as Map 24 Lots 36A, 37, 37A and 38 in the Residence E zoning district. William W. Saltonstall, Chairman 6/3, 6/10 * If you are a resident attending the public hearing, we request you to identify your name and address for the record. Topic: Planning Board</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION 16 Main Street NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, June 14, 2021 at 6:30 pm (via Zoom) on the Notice of Intent submitted by Donna J. Downey, Trustee, 16 Water Street Nominee Trust for 16 Water Street, Mattapoisett, MA as shown on Assessor's Map 9 Lot 189. The applicant proposes to remove the existing concrete boat ramp which has been in a state of disuse and poor condition. Please call the Conservation office for Zoom instructions. 6/3</p>	<p>Tree Service Business for sale: All Year Round Tree Service Well established & Good dependable service & reputation Fairfield, IL 62837 \$300,000 Please call if interested for details 618-897-2471 or 618-231-7586</p> <hr/> <p>WANTED DEAD or ALIVE! Big or small tractors & farm equipment and anything by Gravelly Louie: 508-951-1374</p> <hr/> <p>Wanted to Buy - Cash Paid Sports cards - Non-Sports cards Baseball Basketball Football Hockey Boxes Packs Singles All Years Magic the Gathering - Pokemon - YuGiOh Highest Prices Paid 508-951-7163</p> <hr/> <p>WATERFRONT VACATION RENTAL 270 degree water views from living room/kitchen, 3 bedrooms each with water views! 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Antiques and tools, collectible post cards, dolls, stamps, video camera, luggage, craft supplies, indoor & outdoor stuff.</p> <hr/> <p>Year round rental Mattapoisett Village. Brand new construction. 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo, central air, washer/dryer, deck. Utilities not included. Perfect for single person or couple. \$2050 a month. Call Susan Winn 508 330-8180 Demakis Family Real Estate</p> <hr/> <p>YOUR HANDYMEN Clean outs, dump runs, demolition, tree removal, pressure washing & more. Insured 508-676-3545</p> <hr/> <p>Place your classified ads 24 hours a day 7 days a week on-line at www.wanderer.com</p>

next exhibit, "Willoughby Elliott: A Retrospective." The show will feature paintings, serigraph prints, and ceramic vessels by the late artist, spanning over 30 years. Elliott's atmospheric, impressionistic compositions contain gestural brush strokes of bold and vibrant colors. His emotive paintings remind one of a humid summer day in New England, some evoking the feeling of walking along on the edge of a marsh or cranberry bog. The soft edges of trees and overlapping colors present a calming view of landscapes or vistas familiar to all who live in the region.

Elliott was born in California in 1943. He earned a Master's in Fine Arts in Painting from Rhode Island School of Design in 1967 and went on to chair the Department of Fine Arts at the College of Visual and Performing Arts at the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, where he was professor of painting and printmaking. Elliot was a beloved teacher and a prolific artist. Starting out as a printmaker, he was later known for his paintings featuring local landscapes, which he exhibited extensively at galleries and museums throughout New England. Elliott passed on April 12, 2016 at age 72.

The MAC exhibit runs until **July 16**, with an Opening Night Viewing scheduled on Friday, **June 4**, from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm. The number of guests allowed in the galleries at one time will be limited, but visitors may mingle outdoors on the MAC lawn during the event. Art in Bloom @ the MAC is also scheduled during the retrospective. Visitors can view floral arrangements inspired by Elliott's works, **June 24 – 26**. The Marion Art Center is located at 80 Pleasant Street in Marion, MA, at the corner of Main and Pleasant streets.

This exhibition is presented by the Marion Art Center in partnership with the College of Visual and Performing Arts at the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth. One-third of all proceeds from sales will support the Willoughby Elliott Endowed Scholarship Fund at the CVPA. The purpose of this fund will be to provide scholarship to a fulltime undergraduate in his or her junior or senior year with a preference for a painting major with financial need as determined by the Financial Aid Office at UMass Dartmouth. Additional donations to the fund can be sent to the Office of Advancement Services, UMass Dartmouth, 285 Old Westport Road, Dartmouth, MA 02747. For more information about the show, visit marionartcenter.org. Contact the MAC by calling 508-748-1266 or by emailing info@marionartcenter.org.

Mattapoisett Library New Cookbook Club

Mattapoisett Free Public Library has a new cookbook club hosted by staff! Our first meeting via Zoom is on Tuesday, **June 15**, at 6:30 p.m. This book discussion will focus on cookbooks of all varieties; suggestions are welcome, though title choices depends on availability at network libraries.

The first book selection is the award-winning

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cookbook "Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat," by Samin Nosrat. In this cookbook, Nosrat teaches how to master the use of just four elements – salt, which enhances flavor; fat, which delivers flavor and generates texture; acid, which balances flavor; and heat, which ultimately determines the texture of food. By explaining the hows and whys of good cooking, "Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat" will teach and inspire a new generation of cooks how to confidently make better decisions in the kitchen and cook delicious meals with any ingredients, anywhere, at any time.

Registration is required to get the Zoom link.

Copies of the book will be available for pick up prior to the meeting. Send an email to mskaar@sailsinc.org or call the library at 508-758-4171 for more information or to register.

ORR Senior Events Calendar

The following events are planned for ORR seniors:

June 4 at 9:00 am – Graduation Rehearsal

June 4 at 6:30 pm – Senior Awards Night at Hagen Field

June 5 at 12:00 pm – Commencement at Hagen Field (Rain date June 6)

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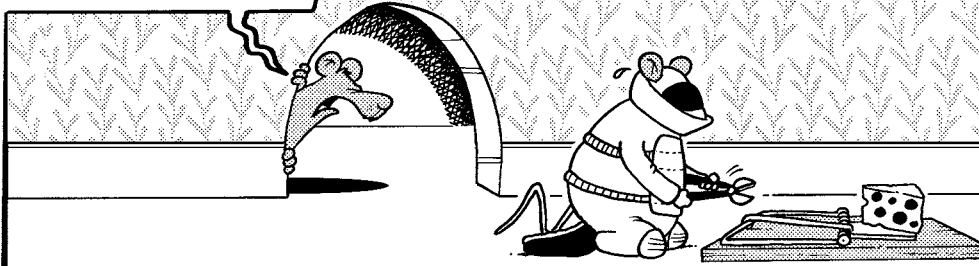
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and directed by Kate Fishman. The cast includes Gary Sousa as Pablo, Mia Vaughn as Tania, Suzie Kokkins as Virginia, and Donn Tyler as Frank. The MAC's sound and lighting technician is Steve McManus.

Director Kate Fishman is seeking extras to fill four nonspeaking roles for this production. To find out more, please email mactheater1957@gmail.com with "Extra for Native Gardens" in the subject line. If you've always wanted to get involved with theater but don't have experience, this is a great way to give acting a try!

Synopsis: Pablo, a high-powered lawyer, and doctoral candidate Tania, his very pregnant wife, are realizing the American dream when they purchase a house next door to Washington, D.C. stalwarts Virginia and Frank. But a disagreement over a long-standing fence line soon spirals into an all-out war of class, privilege, and entitlement. The hilarious results guarantee no one comes out smelling like a rose.

This is the MAC's second outdoor live theater event that will take place in Bicentennial Park across the street from the MAC on Main Street in Marion. Six show dates are scheduled **June 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, and 20**. Friday and Saturday productions will begin at 6:00 pm, while Sunday matinees will begin at 2:00 pm. In case of rain, dates will not be rescheduled. Guests may choose another date, donate tickets, or receive a refund only if the performance is cancelled. Guests must bring their own lawn chairs. All attendees must follow state safety



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Marion Democratic Town Committee

Registered Democrats in Marion will hold a caucus on **June 17** to elect Delegates and Alternates to the 2021 Massachusetts Democratic State Convention. The caucus will take place virtually. Registered Marion Democrats who wish to participate may join the Zoom

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The caucus is open to all registered and pre-registered Democrats of Marion. Pre-registered Democrats who will be 16 by June 15, 2021 will be allowed to participate and run as a Delegate or Alternate. Marion can elect three Delegates and three Alternates to the Convention. (Delegates/ Alternates must include male and female participants.)

Youth, minorities, people with disabilities, and LGBTQ+ individuals who are not elected as a Delegate or Alternate may apply to be an Add-on Delegate at the caucus or at www.massdems.org by August 6.

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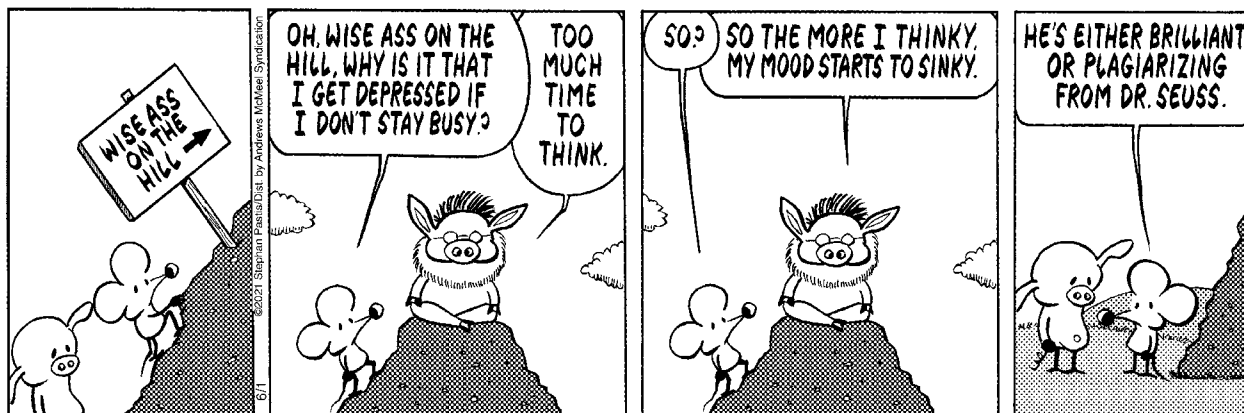
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Spring is an ideal time to declutter, reevaluate, and renew your interiors, including items buried deep in a closet or relegated long ago to the attic or cellar. Contact the Marion Art Center today set the process in motion – you and the community will be better for it! Call the MAC at 508-748-1266 or email info@marionartcenter.org with "Auction Donation" in the subject line.

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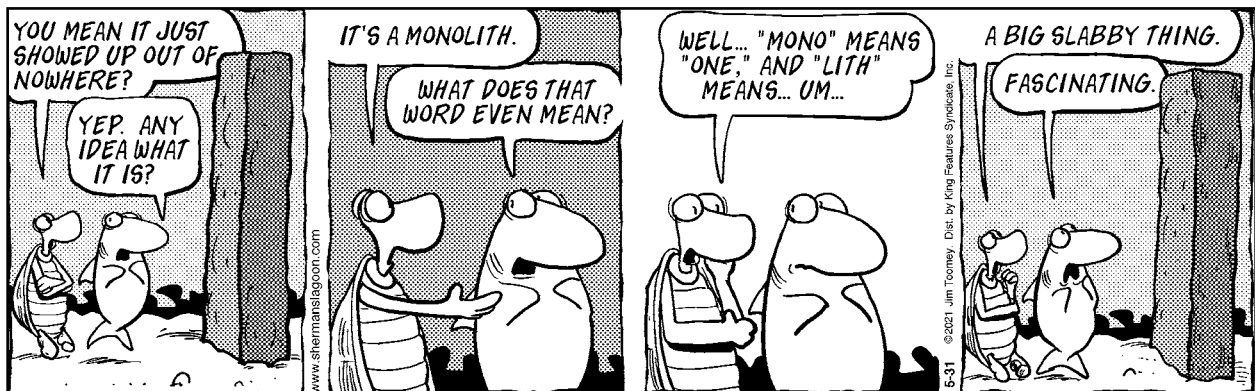
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Participants should bring a bag lunch and a water bottle every day. MAC members at the Family level (\$75) or higher receive a significant discount on tuition. Due to very limited capacity, tuition for All Things Art is nonrefundable unless the program is cancelled. Not yet a member? Joining the MAC is easy through the website at marionartcenter.org/join. To find out if your membership is current, please call the MAC at 508-748-1266 or email info@marionartcenter.org.

Secret Gardens of Marion

Marion Garden Group will host "Secret Gardens of Marion" on Friday, **June 25**. This event will support the Marion Garden Group's mission to beautify the town gardens, entrances, and window boxes during the coming year.

Secret Gardens of Marion is a one-day event and is held rain or shine. The tour includes eight stunning private gardens throughout Marion and East Marion. Gardens and events at Sippican Historical Society, Elizabeth Taber Library, and Marion Art Center are also included. Secret Gardens of Marion starts at Bicentennial Park, 1 Spring Street, at 10:00 am and runs until 3:00 pm.

The event is open to the public. Tickets will go on sale May 1 at \$35 per ticket in advance, \$40 on the day of. The event is completely outdoors and will adhere to Massachusetts COVID safety protocols. To purchase tickets, go to mariongardengroup.org.

The Marion Garden Group is an organization of Marion-area residents interested in gardening. Its goals are to assist in the enhancement of the town's parks and landscape projects and to further expand members' knowledge of gardening through discussions and presentations by experts in the field.

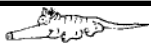
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Buyer(s)	Seller(s)	Address	City	Date	Price
Matthews, William A Matthews, Sharon R	Cabeceiras, Michael E Johnson, Linda	4 Laura Ln	Mattapoisett	05/12/2021	745,000.00
Egan, Daniel A Liebman, Hannah M	Easterly, Patricia C TR Patricia C Easterly RT Easterly, Harry W	6 Briggs Lane Ct	Marion	05/13/2021	1,006,500.00
Romanowicz, Carly Teece, Bryan D	Davignon, Craig E Davignon, Laurie M	15 Brandt Beach Ave	Mattapoisett	05/13/2021	759,000.00
Cole, Bradley T	United States Bank N A T Truman, 2016 Sc6 Title T Truman, Capital Advisors	5 Martin Ave	Mattapoisett	05/13/2021	350,000.00
Danosi, Steven Danosi, Kimberly	Bay Club RE Holdings	34 Prince Snow Village 34 Prince Snow Lot A27	Mattapoisett	05/14/2021	210,000.00
Meehan, Patrick J Meehan, Sadie A	Gutierrez, Francisco J Gutierrez, Eleonora	31 Holly Pond Rd	Marion	05/14/2021	645,000.00
Lavalley, Albert G Lavalley, Anna P	Napoli, Joseph F Napoli, Peter J	Cross Neck Rd	Marion	05/14/2021	195,000.00
Gela, Vivian B Gela, Elise F Gela, Geneva R Gela, Marina W	Reed, Patrick B Reed, Julie J	17 Quelle Ln	Marion	05/14/2021	544,900.00
Binder, James Binder, Sinead	Brenner, Robert S Brenner, Susan M	4 Douglas Corner Rd	Rochester	05/14/2021	675,000.00
Bender, Joshua Bender, Claudia	Munro, Douglas M Moore, Nancy	34 Bullivant Farm Rd	Marion	05/14/2021	850,000.00
Rose, Douglas Wallace, Erica	Connet Woods LLC	89 Box Turtle Dr	Rochester	05/18/2021	598,315.00



Local Tides

Day	Date	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Thursday	June 3	3:22	3:56	9:59	10:50
Friday	June 4	4:18	4:53	10:30	11:32
Saturday	June 5	5:15	5:47	10:58	
Sunday	June 6	6:06	6:33	12:07	12:01
Monday	June 7	6:52	7:14	12:40	12:06
Tuesday	June 8	7:32	7:50	1:16	12:44
Wednesday	June 9	8:11	8:25	1:55	1:24
Thursday	June 10	8:49	9:00	2:36	2:05
Friday	June 11	9:27	9:35	3:17	2:47
Saturday	June 12	10:06	10:13	3:55	3:29
Sunday	June 13	10:48	10:54	4:30	4:09
Monday	June 14	11:33	11:40	5:03	4:50
Tuesday	June 15		12:20	5:38	5:35
Wednesday	June 16	12:29	1:10	6:19	6:27
Thursday	June 17	1:21	2:01	7:08	7:32
Friday	June 18	2:14	2:54	8:05	8:49
Saturday	June 19	3:11	3:51	9:05	10:07
Sunday	June 20	4:13	4:52	10:03	11:14

Phases	New Moon	June 10th
of the	First Quarter	June 18th
Moon	Full Moon	June 24th
	Last Quarter	July 1st



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

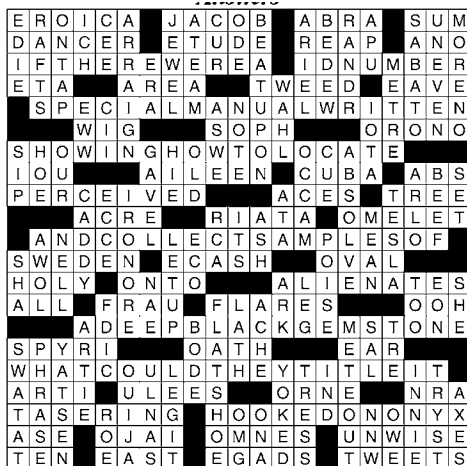
Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*

In the May 27, 2021 edition the Aardvark was on page 23!

PUZZLE ANSWERS

CROSSWORD SOLUTION



SCRAMBLERS

solution

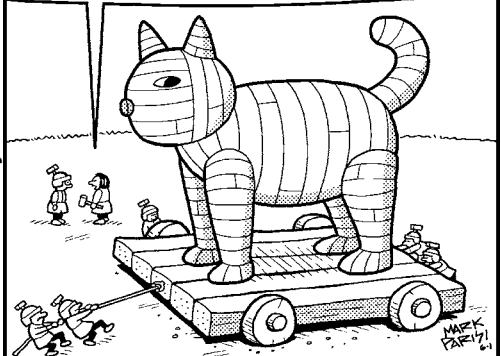
1. Talent
2. Malign;
3. Kindle;
4. Alcove

Today's Word
KENNEL

Sudoku Answer

7	3	2	8	6	5	4	1	9
1	5	9	7	4	2	6	3	8
4	8	6	3	9	1	2	5	7
9	4	1	5	2	8	7	6	3
5	6	8	4	7	3	9	2	1
3	2	7	6	1	9	5	8	4
8	9	5	2	3	4	1	7	6
6	1	3	9	5	7	8	4	2
2	7	4	1	8	6	3	9	5

WE CAN'T GET IT TO GO IN
THE DIRECTION WE WANT...



WHY THEY WENT WITH A HORSE

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